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NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 4, 1854

Respecting the Gadsden Treaty, I can give you but little information. It hangs fire in the Senate very remarkably. The President has communicated to the Senate full information in regard to it. It is the subject of earnest discussion, however, and a decision upon it is generally believed to be not far off. I could repeat to you much of what gossips say concerning it, but to little profit. Prominent among the objections to the treaty, is the fact that a money consideration is to be paid to Santa Anna—not that we value the money, but that we may not admire the uses to which it may be applied.

The rejection of Mr. Saunders as Consul in London, Kossuth's letter to the German population of the United States on the subject, and Saunders' *fastness* in the cause of Democracy in Europe, have been exciting themes for a day. Mr. Spence, our Minister at Constantinople, has however eclipsed Mr. Saunders in the extent of his professions to the Sultan. He has assured that personage not only of the continued friendship of the United States Government but of the sympathy of the American people in his present conflict with the Czar. The Sultan and the Western European powers understand Mr. Spence as he expressed himself, and so with the Emperor Nicholas; but what the latter will say of the assistance given we have yet to learn. The recall of Mr. Spense is freely talked of here, but I cannot learn that the rumor is based upon any intimations from high quarters.

The House Deficiency bill, stripped of its appropriations for the erection of custom houses, &c., has been acted on by the Senate, who have added a large amount of such appropriations to it again as well as other amendments. In its present shape it appropriates $1,000,000 for the benefit of California. A Custom House at San Francisco, $250,000; a Mint, $100,000; a Marine Hospital, $30,000; are among its items. It is provided in this bill that the fees of the Marshal in California shall be the same as those of the Sheriff.

There will be a tall fight over this bill in the House, and the friends of these items will persist in their demands.—What will finally be agreed upon by a Committee of Conference between the two Houses cannot be known until after the event.

Mr. McDougal's great railroad bill has been made the order for the third Tuesday in May. Its fate wil then be decided. It comprehends, as you are aware, both a northern and a southern railroad, with their side roads, telegraphs, and military posts. Mr. Gwin's railroad bill was made the order for a day that is past, but that gentleman has wisely permitted its consideration to be postponed from time to time to make way for the Gadsden treaty, and the appropriation I have above named. The Committee on Public Lands have unanimously instructed Mr. Latham granting lands for local railroads. A road from San Francisco to San Jose, another from Sacramento to Nevada, another from Marysville to Benicia, and another from Stockton to Sonora, are among the objects to be thus aided. But you must not be sanguine about these appropriations. Similar appropriations for Wisconsin and Minnesota have failed; and the Homestead bill, passed by the House, has gone so deep into the public lands that members have become terrified at what has already been done.

There is some competition for the California mail contracts, and several gentlemen are here contending for them.—Among them I recognise Mr. Birch, of Sacramento, and Messrs. Beard and Bartol, of San Francisco.

Ex Comptroller Pierce is also here, delivering lectures before the House and Senate Committees with a view of convincing them that your war debt is just. But his success I fear is slender. We have some thick headed men in Congress, and it is difficult to get through their craniums the fact that though a soldier in the regular army may be shot at all the year for eight dollars a month, it is worth sixteen dollars per day for a California volunteer to be shot at.

We are waiting anxiously to learn the determination of your Legislature, respecting the election of a U. S. Senator. I have heard the subject discussed by many disinterested persons, but have yet for the first time to hear an opinion expressed in favor of an election during the present session. Tickets have, however, even at this distance been made up for you, Gwin, Hammond, Broderick, Foote, Stanley, McDougal, *et omnes*, can all obtain bets, although I doubt not some of them have never been thought of in this connection on the Pacific side of the Continent.

Thomas F. Meagher, Esq., dallies in the sunny south since his arrival at New Orleans. Thus far he stands well with the public. It is believed by many, from indications in Mitchel's paper, and from other concurring circumstances, that there is truth, so far as his purposes are concerned, in the report that the Irish population of the United States are determined, in the event of a general war in Europe, to accept of Russian aid in inciting the people of Canada to revolt.

The New Hampshire elections resulted less unfavorably to the Administration than was at first believed. Indeed, the reaction was nothing more than usually succeeds the disappointment of the nine hundred and ninety-nine unfortunate applicats for every office in the gift of the Administration. What the result of the Connecticut election was yesterday, I may know before this letter closes, or you will learn from newspapers borne to you by the present steamer.

The Black Warrior affair, so far as Cuba is concerned, has fizzled out. Its Captain has, under protest, paid a fine of $6,000, and brought the steamer and cargo safe to New York. The representation of the case by our government has been presented to the Queen of Spain, and it is hoped that there will hereafter be not only power for evil in Cuba, but an adequate responsibility to atone for it.

A bill has passed both Houses by a very decided vote, appropriating $2,000,000 for the construction of six first class war steamers The annual expenses of the British Navy is $30,000,000, equal to the ordinary expenses of our government.

Our latest information from Captain Walker is of an unfavorable character, and promises poorly for the establishment of the new Republic. There is much anxiety to learn of his subsequent fortunes. Alvarez appears to be giving Santa Anna trouble in the State of Guerrero. An insurrection at Nichoachan has been also reported. These dolorous signs, and the sine-dollarous condition of the great Dictator ought certainly to suggest to our Senate the wisdom of patience and due deliberation!—*Wash. Cor. Times and Transcript.*

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Express business in all its branches, promptly attended to.

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In Mount Ophir, at Joe Miller's Store.
In Mariposa, at the Franklin House.

French, Spanish, English, Irish, and State Newspapers for sale. Also, all the papers published in California.

An Express Messenger will make regular tirps, weekly, from the Mariposa Office to Fort Miller and camps on the San Joaquin; also to all the Camps of note on the Fresno, Coarse and Fine Gold Gulches, &c.

m31-tf G. W. STEELE.

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NEW YORK, EUROPEAN AND CALIFORNIA,

EXPRESS AND BANKING COMPANY.

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SIGHT DRAFTS on all the above offices of Wells, Fargo & Co., for sale at the office of Stelle's Express, Mariposa.

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FOR NEW YORK AND NEW ORLEANS,

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Only Twelve Miles Land Carriage!

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THROUGH AHEAD OF THE MAILS;

THIS Company now have the following splendid steamers, which will secure a spare vessel on either ocean, giving a guarantee to passengers against any delay on the Isthmus:

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SIERRA NEVADA,
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These steamers are all of the first class, and fast sailers, thoroughly ventilated and well provisioned, affording the traveling community the shortest, safest and most pleasant route on the Atlantic, passengers arriving in New York and New Orleans from 4 to 6 days in advance of any other route. A steamer will be dispatched from New York on the 5th and 20th, and from San Francisco on the 1st and 16th of every month.

CHARLES MORGAN, Agent New York.
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Coultersville Advertisements.

Coulter Hotel,
In Coultersville.

THE undersigned begs leave to inform the citizens of Mariposa county, and the public generally, that he has rented the above well known Establishment from Mr. G. W. Coulter, and hopes that the liberal patronage heretofore extended to the House may be continued.

The TABLE will be furnished, at all times, with the best the market can afford, and there will be no pains spared in catering to the appetites of his customers.

JOHN M. SINGER.
Coultersville, March 1854. m24-tf

Union House.
STORE, SALOON AND RESTAURANT.

COULTERSVILLE, CALIFORNIA.

RIVEST & WHITE take this method of informing the Public that they have the different departments of the above House in complete order, and they will always be found ready to serve customers in either the STORE, SALOON OR RESTAURANT.

In the store will always be found a full assortmetn of Groceries, Provisions, Liquors, and Mining Tools, besides everything usually kept in Stores in the mining region.

The SALOON will be supplied with the choicest liquors, and the TABLE with the best the market affords, at all times.

JOHN RIVEST,
LEWIS WHITE.
Coultersville, March 1, 1854. m3-tf

City Hotel.
COULTERSVILLE, CALIFORNIA.

THE Subscriber, proprietor of the above named House, takes pleasure in announcing to the public, that he is prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with their patronage. His TABLE will at all times be supplied with the best the market affords, and the LODGING DEPARTMENT will be found equa? to any in the country.

Particular attention paid to the STABLING of Horses and Mules.

ALEX. A. OBARR.
Coultersville, March 1, 1854. m3-tf

ALEX. STAIR. JAMES H. BALDRIGE.

Stair & Baldrige.

THE undersigned hereby inform the citizens of Coulterville, and vicinity, that they have purchased the Old, Favorite and well known establishment of G. W. COULTER, at the above place, and will always keep on hand a large and well selected stock of

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS AND LIQUORS,

besides all other descriptions of Goods suitable for the mines.

With a full and earnest endeavor to please *all*, both in quality and price, they respectfully solicit a call from their friends and the public generally.

Coulterville, Jan. 27th, 1854.

ALEX. STAIR.
feb3-tf JAS. H. BALDRIGE.

C. POWELL,
Notary Public, under the law of 1853,

COULTERVILLE, MARIPOSA CO., CAL.

feb3-tf

Lumber! Lumber!!

THE undersigned take this method of informing the public, that they are prepared to furnish every description of LUMBER, on the shortest notice, at their STEAM SAW MILL, 4 MILES FROM COULTERSVILLE, on the most reasonable terms. They are prepared to deliver Lumber to their customers, and by strict attention to business, they hope to receive a liberal patronage.

SMITH HUNT & CO.
Coultersville, March 1, 1851. m3-tf

A Rare Chance.

FOR SALE OR RENT—The property known as HOPPERVILLE, situated on the main road from Mariposa to Stockton, about one half mile from Mariposa; consisting of TWO ADOBE HOUSES and TWO CABINS, a very large and secure CORRAL, HEN HOUSE, &c., &c., together with a claim to about FORTY ACRES OF LAND fit for gardening or other purposes.

This is one of the best stands for a TRADING and BOARDING HOUSE in the county.

The above will be sold low, as the owner is about leaving for the Atlantic States. Inquire of

J. M. VAN DYKE,
ap14-tf Or, J. C. HOPPER, Mariposa.

100,000 LBS. NO. 1 HAMS, IN BRINE AND DRY SALT—
50 casks IXL and extra Clear Bacon;
100 bbls Mess Pork; 75 cs refined Lard;
100 kegs Leaf Lard, 100 ½ bbls Corn Meal;
100 ceroons Chili Peaches;
200 firkins Orange Co Butter;
100 ½ bbls extra No 1 Mackerel;
150 ½ bbls Dried Apples;
1000 bags Chile Beans;
250 bags White Beans;
200 cases ½ gallon Pickles;

For sale by GOODWIN & CO.,
ap21-1m 62 California st., San Francisco.

WANTED.—Information in relation to Mr. JAMES BIGNEY, who came to California about two years ago, would be gladly received by his brother, Mr. MARK F. BIGNEY, at the office of the True Delta, New Orleans, La. ap24-tj

150,000 POUNDS NO. 1 CHINA SUGAR—
250 bbls. and ½ do. crushed Sugar;
75 bbls New Orleans Sugar;
690 bags Rio Coffee;
750 cases Claret;
200 casks Ale and Porter;
450 cases Ale and Porter, 1 doz each;
200 cases Champagne Cider;
100 cases ½ and ¼ bxs Sardines;
100 cases Oysters; 100 do Lobsters;
50 cases Clams;
200 cases Strawberries and Peaches;
100 cases Green Corn and Peas;
250 boxes Maccaroni and Vermacelli.

For sale by GOODWIN & CO.,
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E. BRIGGS,

CIGAR AND TOBACCO BROKER, AND COMMISSION Buyer, 101 Clay street, between Sansome and Battery San Francisco.

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BY HENRY S. FITCH & CO.,
REAL ESTATE AUCTIONEERS AND *LAND AGENTS.*

HENRY S. FITCH ... AUCTIONEER.

Howard's Building, No 137 Montgomery street, between Clay and Commercial streets, San Francisco.

HENRY S. FITCH respectfully announces to the public, that he has associated with him in business MR A. MARIUS CHAPELLE and MR. LEOPOLD LOWENBERG—both gentlemen of experience in Real Estate sales.

By this association, we are enabled to transact business in the *English, French, German, Spanish and Italian* languages; and we have determined, at all pvblic sales of importance to *present* the property and the bids made therefor in the languages named.

Sales of *Real Estate, Vessels, State Bonds, City Scrip Mining Stock, &c., &c.,* made for Administrators, Assignees, Receives, Mortgagees, and others, carefully complying with the forms of law.

Persons desirous of having their property sold at private or public sales, will please hand in description of the same, to be entered on the register at their office.

HENRY S. FITCH,
A. MARIUS CHAPELLE,
feb10-tf LEOPOLD LOWENBERG,

MINER'S EXCHANGE AND Savings Bank,
ARMORY HALL, SAN FRANCISCO:

By Dr. A. S. Wright.

GOOD NEWS FOR THE MINER.—The United States Branch Mint in the city is now in full operation.—The miner is hereby informed that DR. WRIGHT will receive and receipt for Gold Dust for U. S. coinage, committed to his care, either by Express or otherwise, *free of charge*, and the nett proceeds held subject to the order of the owner, bearing an interest in favor of the depositor of one and a half per cent per month, as soon as coined; and always payable on demand. Funds remitted to the Eastern States at 90 days from date, free of charge, as also funds sent to Europe at 120 days from date, without expense.

Miners will please forward with treasure such instructions as they may desire, with the assurance that no commission will be charged at this Banking House.

A. S. WRIGHT.
Armory Hall, corner of Sacramento and Montgomery streets, San Francisco. ap14 3m

Mariposa Advertisements.

ALFRED F. WASHBURN,
Justice of the Peace for Township No. 3,
Office in Mariposa.

ALISON & HARRIS,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Office on Main street, Mariposa.

RICHARD H. DALY,
ATTORNEY AND NOTARY PUBLIC,
Mariposa. j19-tf

SAM'L. A. MERRITT,
Attorney at Law, and Notary Public under the Law of 1853.
Office, on Main, between Fourth and Fifth streets, Mariposa. j19-1y

E. BURKE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
Office on Main street, Mariposa.

O. M. DICKINSON,
COUNTY SURVEYOR:
Office, on Main street, Mariposa.

G. S. McMurtrie,
DENTIST,
OFFICE—At the Franklin House, Main Street, Mariposa. m10-tf

For Sale or Rent.

THE ADOBE DWELLING HOUSE, one door above Adams & Co.'s Banking Office, on Main street, Mariposa. Apply to SAMUEL A. MERRITT, Mariposa.
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GUNSMITHING.
RIFLES, FOWLING PIECES, AND COLT'S PISTOLS,

Will be repaired by the undersigned in a neat and substantial manner, upon short notice.

Shop situated on Charles, between 4th and 5th streets, Mariposa.

j19-1y J. N. THOMAS.

C. D. O'SULLIVAN. WM. F. CASHMAN.

SULLIVAN & CASHMAN,
Main Street, Mariposa,

FEELING grateful for the patronage they have received, now inform their friends and the public generally, that they have recently made arrangements in the

Atlantic States,

to receive their Goods direct from

New York and Boston.

They have also erected a large and commodious Warehouse adjacent to their present Store, where will be found the largest assortment of Goods ever before in Mariposa.

Wholesale Buyers

are particularly invited to give us a call, and examine our Goods, as we are determined to sell as low as can be had from

Stockton and San Francisco.

The same advantages are to be had at our Store at

Coultersville,

On Maxwell's Creek.

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FRANKLIN HOUSE,
STILL IN THE ASCENDENCY!!

THE UNDERSIGNED takes pleasure in announcing to his old friends and the public generally, that he has re-leased the above well known House, for the purpose of keeping a

HOTEL AND BOARDING HOUSE,

where strangers will find all the comforts of a First Class Hotel.

THE TABLE

willbe supplied with the best the market affords.

Meals, Oyster Stews, &c.,

can be obtained at all hours.

Natness and quietness will at all times be preserved.

Barding by the week on the most reasonable terms.

Private rooms neatly fitted and furnished.

THE BAR

willbe supplied with the choisest Liquors of all kinds, andthe best Cigars.

FRANK WILLIAMS.

Attached to the above Hotel is an excellent STABLE, where animals will be fed on the best of hay and grain, andwill be cleaned and brought up at the shortest notice Saddle horses to let. m24-tf

New Drug Store
IN *M A R I P O S A.*

A. D. BOYCE, Agent.

HAS constantly on hand a full and fresh supply of
Foreign and Domestic Drugs;
French, English and American Chemicals;
Perfumery and Family Medicines;
Shakers' Herbs and Extracts,
Thompsonian Medicines;
and in fact all things usually to be found in a well stocked establishment.

Physicians can rely upon having their prescriptions carefully prepared at this place. j27-tf

Scott & Bayless,
Main Street, Mariposa.

KEEP constantly on hand, and for sale, a large and varied assortment of GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES, LIQUORS, MINING IMPLEMENTS,

And every article usually found in a general store in the Mines, and will sell as cheap as can be found in this section of the country, without any exceptions.

Also, in store, a large lot of

OATS, BARLEY, HAY, &C., &C,

In connection with the above business, we have on hand a superior lot of

Harness Saddles, Collars, Whips, &c.

which are manufactured out of the very best of materials, and by good practical workmen, under our own supervision. Our work is ALL WARRANTED, and will be sold at the lowest Stockton prices. Call and examine our stock before making your purchases elsewhere.

m10-3m SCOTT & BAYLISS.

WM. NICHOLS,
The Oldest Butcher in Mariposa,

Familiarly known as "BLOODY NICK," continues to keep canstantly on hand, at his old stand on Main street, the best

AMERICAN BEEF AND PORK

the country affords, cheap for cash. He feels confident that in his branch of business he can't be beat, consequently he defies all competition.

Credit is dead and buried. j19-tf

Miscellaneous.

GLORIOUS NEWS
For the Toiling Million!!!

"WINN"
AGAIN AT THE "FOUNTAIN HEAD,"

WITH A DETERMINATION to make it what it was previous to his leaving it

THE PATTERN RESTAURANT OF CALIFORNIA;

And we now call upon the public in general and our friends in particular, to sustain us in our efforts to keep the price of GOOD BOARD in San Francisco, where we have ever kept it, within the reach of the toiling mechanic and laborer, as well as the millionaire; and in conclusion, we ask the public to remember the course pursued by Restaurants throughout the city the moment we had retired from the field. Do you recollect how suddenly the old Bills of Fare were removed from the tables and new ones placed thereon, with prices about double? and all because WINN was not about to regulate the matter. Don't forget the place and number where you are properly cared for in price and quality—

"WINN'S FOUNTAIN HEAD,"
78 and 80 Long Wharf, and 109 and 111 Clay street,
Between Sansome and Battery streets.

More hereafter. M. L. WINN,
ap7-tf Proprietor Fountain Head and Branch.

'Winn's Branch.'

GREAT INPROVEMENT IN EACH DEPARTMENT!

IMPORTANT CHANGES!—NEW BILL OF FARE!!!

THE LADIES DELIGHTED with the New arrangement. The GENTS, too, we are happy to find, appreciate our constant endeavors to please, and for the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon this Establishment by our friends and the public generally, we tend our warmest thanks; and we pledge ourselves that no effort on our part shall be wanted to make this the favorite place of resort for Ladies and Gentlemen while we have the honor of presiding over its affairs.

ap7-tf M. L. WINN, Proprietor.

Ferry House,
SPLIT ROCK, ON THE MERCED.

THIS WELL KNOWN STAND is located on the MERCED RIVER, on the Mail Route from Sonora to Mariposa, 18 miles from Mariposa, 7 from Bear Valley, 5½ from Coultersville, and 30 miles from Sonora.

Travelers, and others, can at all times be furnished with Meals, Lodging and Horse Feed.

Not having a market, we do not undertake to furnish the "*Best the Market affords*," nor do we always keep "*The Purest Liquors*," or "*The Finest Brands of Cigars*," but will endeavor to please our customers in prices, quality and variety.

N. B.—Always on hand an assortment of

All Kinds of Goods,

Suitable to the wants of Miners, which will be sold as *CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST.*

For particulars, see "SMALL BILLS."

m31-6m CODY, Agent.

BUTTER, LARD AND CHEESE.
At No. 81 Clay street, above Front,

SAN FRANCISCO.

400 FIRKINS new June Orange Co. BUTTER,
200 do do do Goshen do
150 do do do Delaware do
100 do do do Chakauque do
100 casks choice do do, in 22lb kitts;
2,000 lbs Butter in 10, 20 and 30 lbs kegs;
15,000 lbs Cheese in tins, best ever imported to this market;
150 cases refined Lard in Small tins;
100 tierces and bbls Leaf Lard.

Also, Ex-clipper ship "Eagle"—
The above choice selected Butter for family use. in New York, and shipped by me expressly for my own trade, and will, I think, be found on examination superior to any offered in this market, and will be sold at the lowest market rates. WILLIAM B. WIER.

m10ism 81 Clay street above Front.

BEAR VALLEY DEPOT.
SIMPSON & HAMMATT.

WOULD announce to their friends and the mining community of this county, that they are permanently located in the town of Simpsonville, and now prepared to furnish their customers with MEAT, PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, LIQUORS, QUEENSWARE, &c., of the best quality, and at the lowest rates.

Their stock is entirely new and embraces superior
Hams, Beef, Pork, Bacon;
Lard, Flour, Tea, Coffee;
Sugar, Potatoes, Barley, Rice;
Molasses, Syrups, Dried Fruit;
Preserves, Pickles, Brandy, Gin;
Whisky, Rum, Port Wine;
Claret Wine, Sherry Wine;
Hock Wine, Medaria Wine;
Clothing, Blankets, Drilling &c.

Together with every description of Miners' Tools, &c.

HAMMATT & SIMPSON,
Large Frame House,
feb10-tf Main street, Simpsonville.

POST OFFICE HOTEL,
AND *PROVISION DEPOT,*

Mt. Ophir.

JOSEPH MILLER & CO., Proprietors.

THE public are informed that this establishment has accommodations and conveniences for guests unsurpassed by any house in the county. The best the market affords will always be furnished for the table in abundance.

As regards the sleeping arrangements, every effort will be made to insure invariable satisfaction.

At the store can at all times be found a complete assortment of MINERS' IMPLEMENTS, DRY GOODS, &c.

Together with all description of MEAT PROVISIONS of the best quality.

feb10-tf JOS. MILLER & CO.

Store and Fixtures for Sale.

THE well known stand of GALLAGHER'S, Merced river, Mouth of Sherlock's, is now offered for sale, together with the stock of goods on hand, consisting of
FLOUR, PORK, BEANS.
HAM, BACON, SHOULDERS,
SUGAR, COFFEE, COFFEE MILLS,
AXES, HELVES, PICKS and Helves,
CIGARS, LIQUORS, POWDER,
PEPPER, PEPPER SAUCE,
PICKLES, SALERATUS, SOAP,
WASHPANS, DIPPERS, CANDLES,
COOKING STOVE,
FURNITURE FOR KITCHEN,
FERRY BOAT, &c., &c.

All which will be sold at cost, as the undersigned intends starting for the Atlantic States about the 15th of May. Terms—CASH.

ap21-tf J. R. GALLAGHER.

TO MEN OF BUSINESS.
Jack W. Smith

RESPECTFULLY informs the public generally, that he has established himself on the Merced River, in the county of Mariposa, as a

GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT.

Any business entrusted to him will be attended to with promptness and dispatch.

He hopes by activity, industry, and strict attention to business, to merit both the respect and patronage of the business circle.

REFERENCES:
Enoch Gove, San Joaquin Steam Mills, Samuel Baldwin, City do do, Capt. J. M. Scofield, Colonel of the Port, Ruggles & Nudd, Merchants, B. W. Owens, of B. W. Owens & Co. — Stockton.
Geo. W. Coulter, Coulterville, Judge J. M. Bondurant, Mariposa, Hon. P. T. Herbert, Assembly. — Mariposa.
Hon. Sam Bell, Comptroller of State.
Dr. R. P. Ashe, Navy Agent, San Francisco.

Address JACK W. SMITH, Snelling's Ranch,
feb3-tf Per Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express.

SAMUEL H. P. ROSS,
Justice of the Peace for Township No. 1.
AND
Notary Public under the late Act of 1853,

RESPECTFULLY offers his services to the citizens of Mariposa county, and particularly to the citizens of the Agricultural portions of the county, in preparing their declaratory statements. Having been the late County Surveyor, he will retrace the lines of the United States' survey that have been lost, and prepare the necessary documents to secure their claims at the Land Office at Benicia. Being generally known throughout the county, he deems no references necessary. Deeds, Mortgages, and other legal documents carefully written.

Office, near the Stone House, Merced river. Applications left at Snelling's Ranch, will be carefully attended to. m3-tf

Legal Notices.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of two Executions to me directed, from the Hon. District Court of the Fifth Judicial District, held in and for the County of Mariposa, in the State of California, I will offer for sale in front of the Court House door, in the village of Mariposa, on Saturday the 13th day of May, A. D. 1854, the following property: One large Frame House, situated on the road leading from Mariposa to Stockton, some twelve miles from Mariposa, well known to those who have traveled that road, as Corbitt's Ranch. I will also sell, together with the Ranch, all the improvements appertaining thereto; together with a pre-emption right to one hundred and sixty acres of land. The above property is being sold to satisfy two Judgments—one in favor of James S. Gibbs, plaintiff, and against Alex. H. Corbitt, defendant. the other in favor of Willis, Davis & Co., plaintiffs, and for the use of one Barber, and against Alex. H. Corbitt, defendant. The sale will be made at one o'clock, P. M. Terms of sale Cash.

my5-2t J. BOLING, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, on Saturday the 27th day of May, A. D. 1854, in the village of Mariposa in front of the Court House door, the following property, to wit: A certain Saw Mill and Machinery, situated upon the head waters of Sexton's Creek, some five miles north-east of the village of Mariposa, formerly known as Willis & Davis' Mill, they being the builders. I will also sell, together with the Mill, all the Improvements belonging or appertaining thereto.—The above named property is being sold to satisfy sundry Judgments—one in favor of James Bell, one in favor of Burns Case, and one in favor of Eliza Burns, all plaintiffs, and Judgments have been rendered in their favor in the Court of Justice Washburn, in Township No. 3, and against Jacob Long & Company, defendants. Also another Judgment rendered in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District, held in Mariposa County, in favor of J. F. McNamara & J. D. Crippen, and against Jacob Long & Company defendants.

I will sell also at the mill, to satisfy the same Judgments, on Saturday the 13th day of May, A. D. 1854, a large quantity of Sawed Lumber, and several Thousand Shingles. Terms of sale cash.

my5-td J. BOLING, Sheriff.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of Van Dyke, Hussy & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. April 10, 1854.

J. M. VAN DYKE,
PATRICK HUSSY,
HUGH DIMOND.

THE business of the late firm will be continued in the same place, by the undersigned, under the firm of Dimond & Co.

HUGH DIMOND,
PATRICK HUSSY,
a28-tf CHAS. F. McDERMOTT.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing under the name of Whitacre & Gould, in the publication of the Mariposa Chronicle newspaper, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Mariposa, April 18th, 1854. W. T. WHITACRE,
a28-3t A. S. GOULD.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—The undersigned having purchased the interest of A. S. Gould in the publication of the Mariposa Chronicle newspaper, have associated themselves under the name of W. T. Whitacre & Co., as joint partners, and will continue the publication of said newspaper as heretofore.

The new firm are alone authorised to settle the business of the late firm. Mariposa, April 24th, 1854.

W. T. WHITACRE,
C. W. BLAISDELL,
a28 3t J. C. HOPPER.

DISSOLUTION.—We the undersigned do mutually agree that the Co-partnership between us, be and the same is hereby dissolved, except for the final liquidation and settlement of the business thereof, and upon such settlement and liquidation then wholly to cease.

April 18th, 1854. E. G. BARTON,
L. H. BUNNELL,
a28-3t A. T. BARTON.

NOTICE.—During my absence from the State of California, MR. J. C. HOPPER is authorised to act as my Attorney, for the transaction of any business appertaining to myself. Mariposa, April 25th, 1854.

a28-3t J. M. VAN DYKE.

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the co-partnership heretofore existing between L. FRANKL & CO., in Mariposa and Green Creek is this day dissolved by mutual consent. L. Frankl, who will continue business in Mariposa, as before, is authorized to receive all the debts due the late firm.

L. FRANKL,
MAYER S. ASCHHEIM,
JULIUS SALOMONSON.

Mariposa, March 30th, 1854. m31-tf

NOTICE.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm of KERNS & HOWELL, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

J. KERNS, JR.,
THOMAS P. HOWELL.

Mariposa, Feb. 7, 1854.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—We, the undersigned, have this day entered into co-partnership for the purpose of conducting the Soda Water business, in the town of Hornitas. We solicit a share of the public patronage.

THOMAS P. HOWELL,
GEORGE KRAFFT.

Mariposa, Feb. 7, 1854. m21-3t*

Administrator's Notice.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of BENJAMIN SNELLING, deceased, late of Mariposa county, are hereby notified to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers to the subscriber, at his residence at Snelling's Ranch, on the Merced river, Mariposa county, within ten months from the date of this notice, or such claims will be forever barred.

WILLIAM S. SNELLING,
Adm'r. of Benj. Snelling, deceased.

Mariposa, April 7th, 1854. ap7-tf

Tulare County.

Office of the County Clerk, Tulare County,
VISALIA, 18th March, 1854.

A PUBLIC AUCTION OF TOWN LOTS OF VISALIA, seat of Justice of Tulare County, will be held at said Town, on TUESDAY, 6th June.

—ALSO—

On the same day, at the Court-house, Visalia, the contract for building the county jail, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

By order of the Board of Supervisors Tulare County.

m31-3tm A. B. GORDON, County Clerk.

Notice.

THIS is to certify that NEWELL & CO. are no longer Agents for us in Stockton or the Southern Mines, and have no right to use our name in any matter. The business will hereafter be conducted by us on our own account. ADAMS & CO.

Stockton, March 11, 1854. m31-tf

NOTICE.—The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm of J. W. TORNEY & A. F. CHATFIELD, is dissolved by mutual consent.

J. W. TORNEY,
A. F. CHATFIELD.

February 17th, 1854. m3-tf

THOMAS LAWSON *vs.* M. J. Box, Walter B. Graham, Wm. T. Ray.

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District, held in and for Mariposa county, State of California, A. D. 1854.

It appearing to me upon the affidavit of Samuel A. Merritt, Attorney for the plaintiff in the above entitled cause, that the defendants M. J. Box, Walter B. Graham and Wm. T. Ray cannot, after due diligence, be found in this State, or that they conceal themselvs so that a summons in this case cannot be executed upon them; and further, that the plaintiff has a good cause of action against the defendants, and the said defendants are proper parties to be made defendants to this action: It is therefore ordered, that service of the summons in this case be made by publishing the same once a week for three months in the Mariposa Chronicle, a newspaper published in the village of Mariposa, in this State.

Given under my hand, at Mariposa, this, the 27th day of March, A. D. 1854.

J. M. BONDURANT, County Judge.

I, EDW'D. C. BELL, Clerk of the District Court, held in and for the County of Mariposa, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the original order now on file in my office.

[L. S.] Given under my hand and seal of office, this 27th day of March, 1854.

EDW'D. C. BELL, Clerk.
By CHS. GRAY, Deputy Clerk.

The State of California, County of Mariposa.

In the District Court of the 5th Judicial District, held in and for Mariposa county, State of California, A. D. 1854.

The People of the State of California, to M. J. Box, Walter B. Graham, and Wm. T. Ray, defendants, *Greeting:*

You are hereby summoned to appear and answer the complaint of Thomas Lawson, plaintiff, in said court filed against you, within ten days from the service of this writ, exclusive of the day of service, if served on you in this county, but if served on you without said county, then in forty days from such service, exclusive of the day of service, in an action of debt, wherein the plaintiff claims the sum of Four Hundred and Forty Dollars, with interest thereon from the 23d day of February, 1852, at the rate of five per cent. per month: said amount being due from said defendants to said plaintiff, upon a promissory note, dated 23d February, 1852, for above amount. If you fail to answer said complaint as directed, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the aforesaid sum, interest, and costs of suit, by default.

[L. S.] Given under my hand and seal of office, in the village of Mariposa, this the 27th day of March, 1854.

EDW'D. C. BELL, Clerk.
By CHARLES GRAY, Deputy Clerk.

SAMUEL A. MERRITT, Att'y. for plaintiff. m31-3m

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MARIPOSA:

FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 12, 1854.

☞ MR. PAUL S. NILES, Mail Carrier between this place and Sonora, is hereby authorised to receive any advertisements, job work, subscriptions, or moneys intended for the Mariposa Chronicle.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—Rev. Mr. Phillips of Stockton, will hold the Quarterly Meeting of the M. E. Church, in this place, on Saturday and Sunday the 20th and 21st insts.

COUNTY BUILDINGS.—The necessity of erecting suitable buildings for the accommodation of the Courts, and the business of the various officers in this County, has been discussed so often that it has almost become worn out, yet nothing has been done in the matter. Different Grand Juries have considered the subject, and urged upon different Courts of Sessions the propriety of taking some steps towards the accomplishment of the purpose, not only as a great convenience demanded by all having business in our Courts and offices, but as a matter of economy, and still the first step remains to be taken. The county does not even possess a piece of ground upon which to erect a building. Six months ago and a choice of locations could have been obtained for the mere cost of fencing—now, the only suitable spots are in the possession of private individuals, who of course will not dispose of them without a consideration. The reason why the last Court of Sessions did not make the necessary order for the erection of a Court House and Offices, was, we are informed, that it would be injudicious to create any additional liabilities in the present state of our finances, at least not until the debt of the County should have been funded.

This is rather a singular reason it must be confessed, in face of the fact that funding the County Debt has nothing more to do with the erection of any public buildings than it has with the war in Turkey. The money necessary for this purpose cannot be paid out of any funds in the hands of the Treasurer; but must be supplied by the Building Fund which was created by order of the Court of Sessions in 1852, now two years ago, which fund cannot be used for any other purpose than for providing suitable places for county offices and Court room. Since the order creating this fund, about $6.500 have been collected. Of this $5,429, according to the published statement of the Auditor was expended for building a Jail, and the balance, some eleven hundred dollars has nearly all gone for rent. It is estimated that quite $5,000 will be paid into the building fund the present year. Plenty of competent mechanics can be found who would be willing to take a contract for the erection of a Court House, if this $5,000 was paid in cash as soon as received and be satisfied to wait another year for the balance, which would not amount to more than $2,000 or $3,000. The payment of ruinous rents would be stopped, and the County put in possession of a building containing the necessary conveniencies for the transaction of public business; and what is of no little importance, the taxes could be reduced at least to the extent of the amount now assessed for building purposes. The only way to make this fund available is to commence the erection of a Court House at once, and in a few months it could be so far completed as to afford room for the accommodation of the Courts, and the sums now monthly paid for temporary Court rooms be saved—an additional two or three months would see the rooms for all the County officers completed, and the payment of $100 per month for Clerk's office, $50 for office for County Judge, and about the same for Treasurer's office, would cease, and the County left in possession of a building which would be an honor and credit to all concerned.

The interest of tax payers, and the convenience of all, demand that something should be done in relation to this subject, and it is to be hoped that the next Court of Sessions will do something in the matter if it takes a session of a month to accomplish it.

The fire in Mr. Cannons house last week, which fortunately was discovered in time, has had one good effect at least in attracting the attention of our townsfolk, to the danger to which they are exposed, and the imperative necessity existing, for an organization of some kind as a means of security for the future.

A light tax upon each property holder in the town would procure a set of ladders, hooks and buckets, which might at some time prove the means of saving a large amount of property, should a fire unfortunately break out and gather headway in our midst. This is a subject of vital importance to our safety, and should be considered attentively, and some preparations immediately made; or we may be caught with our fingers in our mouths, and awake to a disagreeable reality when it is too late. A few hundred dollars invested in some means of prevention, would certainly be easier to bear, than the loss of all.

On our first page will be found a letter from the Washington correspondent of the Times and Transcript, containing many interesting items of political intelligence. See last page also for poetry, tale of Tooth Brushes, and other good things.

Advices from Switzer and inform us that a number of the hardy Swiss were about to emigrate from the canton of Ticino to California.

[OUR CORRESPONDENCE FROM THE CAPITAL.]

Legislative Proceedings &c.

SACRAMENTO, May 9th 1854.

This has been a busy week here, the Masonic Grand Lodge, and the Odd Fellows celebration having drawn a goodly number of hombres from all parts of California together with the usual number of disinterested attendants upon the Legislature have about filled up this den of intriguers and *money changers*.

A grand pugilistic exhibition took place in the Senate on the 4th inst, between Mr. Crabb and Mr. Whiting. They clinched and had a regular set-to for a few minutes, and were separated before much damage had been done on either side. Mr Crabb then drew two pistols and offering one to Mr. W, proposed to settle the trouble at once. The Senate chamber was filled with a dense crowd and all was noise and confusion—in the meantime the Senate adjourned. Both Houses met in Convention on the same day and elected Mr. B. B. Reading of the State Journal, to the office of State Printer.

Relief Bills are again pouring into the Legislature, not less than six having been reported in the Senate on the 5th, amounting in the aggregate to about $100,000, besides one for an indefinite amount as compensation for *private* suffering—all of these sums are for provisions furnished to suffering immigrants. The reports of Committees on all of these bills were against their passage.

Bills to create a State Agricultural Society; To repeal the lumber inspection act; To amend an act concerning corporations, and the Resolutions on the Nebraska question, have passed the Assembly—the latter by a vote of 58 to 10.

Mr. Lent introduced a bill in the Senate to grant certain persons the right to use the water power of Mariposa creek on their premises.

Notice was given by Mr. McKinney of a bill to legalize marriages by telegraph!!

By Mr. Kellog to prevent Coolies from laboring in this State.

By Mr. Herbert to fund the debt of Mariposa County.

Bills to provide for liens of Mechanics on buildings, and to protect mining interests, and prevent immigration from Asia to this State were also introduced. The following among others of minor importance, have passed the Assembly:

A bill concerning Marks and Brands; requiring them to be recorded.

To prevent the destruction of fish in the San Joaquin.

Also, a bill for the better observance of the Sabbath; this bill I believe prohibits horse racing, public exhibitions, ten pins, etc., on that day, and passed the Assembly by a vote of 37 to 14; a pretty large majority for a measure of that sort to pass in a California Legislature.

There are some doubts here, as to the final passage of the bill funding the debt of Mariposa county, the delegation from your county not viewing it very favorably; one reason for which may be that the only petition received by them was a small affair with only a very few names appended, the large one having been lost on the way!

Hon. P. T. Herbert, is strongly spoken of by the Democracy here, as a suitable candidate for Congress. He has acquired an enviable reputation as a working member of this Legislature, and a sterling democrat.

The Masonic Grand Lodge will probably close its session during the latter part of the week. The attendance has been very large, and considerable business has been disposed of. PETE.

Our accounts from the different mining camps continue highly gratifying. Miners are no longer compelled to buy on credit, but are able to come down with the "dust," and the difference between the credit and cash systems can be readily seen in the long line of teams daily seen in our streets and the bustle and confusion, and smiling faces of our merchants. Mining operations on many of the larger creeks and gulches, have been suspended for a short time in consequence of the late rains driving the miners from their claims, but there being every appearance of the dry season having set in, most of them have again commenced opening their claims and we shall soon hear the usual news of big strikes, and every body doing well.

We are expecting every day to hear of the commencement of a civil war in San Francisco. The adherents of Madame Bishop and Miss Kate Hays are at loggerheads, originating in some little trifling difficulty between the ladies in question, doubtless of about as much importance as the quarrel between the Big enders and Little-enders in Gulliver's Travels. The rival factions have displayed an ardor and enthusiasm in the cause of their respective mistresses, worthy the days of Knightly chivalry. We are anxiously, almost breathlessly waiting for later news from the scene of war, but hope and pray it may be of a pacific character and that their serious troubles may be settled without bloodshed.

CAPTAIN HARRY LOVE.—Some of the San Francisco papers are urging the justice of reimbursing Capt Love and his company, for their expenditure of time and money in exterminating Joaquin and his gang from the State. This is only a measure of strict justice, and should receive the immediate attention of the Legislature.

Late Oregon papers state that the gold discovery excitement at Steilacoom has about fizzled out, and that there is no doubt that the new mines were "salted" before discovery.

We understand that the Chinese settlement on Buckeye numbers about four hundred of the long-tailed gentry. They have two stores, a restaurant, a working jeweller, etc., and are represented as doing a thriving business. This is all very nice, but we have an idea that their room would be occupied to much better advantage by "white folks;" and we believe that every body else thinks so too.

SQUATTER RIOTS.—Mr. Fitch, a Deputy United States Surveyor, lately proceeded to survey Suisun Ranch, and on his arrival on the ground and attempting to commence his duties, was met by a number of persons who prevented him from performing his duties, and threatened his life if he did not leave. Three of the persons engaged in the disturbance were arrested by the United States Marshall, and carried to San Francisco for trial.

Hon. Paul K. Hubbs, in a recent communication to the Legislature, says that the schools of the State require additional aid from the State, and that the funds which will be applicable on the 1st of January next, will be totally inadequate to pay one fourth of teaches salaries. He suggests that a portion of the poll-tax be devoted to School purposes.

The following we cut from the Sacramento Union:

AN ACT

To provide for the better observance of the Sabbath. The people of the State of California represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SEC. 1. That public auctions, the crying of goods for sale in the street, animal shows, rope or wire dancing, bull and bear fighting, or fighting of wild beasts—pugilism, horse racing, foot racing, gaming, playing ten-pins and the like; also, all public exhibitions for gain, are hereby declared unlawful on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday.

SEC. 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of the foregoing section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, for the first offence, shall be fined in a sum not less than fifty dollars, together with costs of suit, nor more than three hundred dollars; for every subsequent offence, not less than one hundred nor more than five hundred dollars

SEC. 4. Any person or persons may be proceeded against for violating the provisions of this act before any court of competent jurisdiction within the county.

We make the following extract in relation to affairs in China from the correspondence of the Alta California:

You and your readers are doubtless eager to hear all that can be gathered from this Empire of the Celestials. But there is little news of stirring interest of a very late date. Neither here nor at Canton is there any indication that a rebellion exists—everything is going on with usual order and regularity, in the same everlasting rotine that has characterised these people for so many ages. In fact the rebel leaders are confining their demonstrations to the North. It they succeed as they hope, and as they are energetically striving to do, in capturing Peking and dethroning the Tartar Emperor, they expect that the other towns at the South will speedily surrender, without the trouble of carrying them by storm, which will doubtless be the case. I was at Shanghae some two weeks since. The rebels were gallantly maintaining themselves in possession of the town. The imperialist army was encamped at a safe distance back of the town. Their fleet consists of a large number of junks, many of them manned by the pirates of the coast, who have been employed for the occasion, and who fight only while the money lasts, which is given them by the Taeontae of the Province; the insurgents are confident of being able to hold out until the rebel chief succeeds in reducing Peking.

AUSTRALIA AND PERU GOLD FIELDS.—A gentleman from Calaveras, who has just returned from the Australia Gold fields, gives a very gloomy and discouraging account of the state of affairs there. But one or two Californians there have made any thing at mining, and what little they have got, is but a small remuneration for the hardship that is endured. Taxes are enormous and the treatment by justice functionaries tyranical and arbitrary.—Our informant, on his return home, had a look at the gold (?) fields of Peru. He says that the great hue and cry which has been raised is all gammon—and that the general belief is, that it was got up to induce Americans to go to that country, and after finding on their arrival that they had been deceived, they would be willing and ready to enter into any sort of combination to upset the government, and take matters into their own hands.—*Evening Journal.*

The emigration from Sonora still continues; every day, trains of pack mules and families of Mexicans pass by; not a few of them accompanied by women, all giving the same reason for coming to California—dread of *los Apaches Malditos!*

They give a terrific account of the murders and robberies committed by these savages, their natural enemies, and would no doubt welcome any number of Americans or any other foreigners into their country, if thereby any stand could be made by them. All say there are more coming behind, and Sonora bids fair to empty itself into the lap of California.—*Alta.*

THE INSTRUCTION TO MR SOULE.—The New York Sun says it learns from private sources that Secretary Marcy "has instructed Mr. Soule, our Minister at Madrid, to make the demand for the indemnity and apology in the *most peremptory manner;* and should the Spanish Government hesitate, or put off its reply under pretence of waiting for information from Havanah, Mr. Soule is to lose no time in communicating the fact to Washington, when our Government will proceed instanter to blockade every Cuban port."

GOLD ON THE COLORADO.—Major Heitzleman of Los Angelos has recently returned from an exploring expedition to the country between the Colorado and Gila. He has traversed that region for a hundred miles above the Fort; and the detachments ordered out to visit the Indians have explored even further. Gold was found by washing the dirt and sand from the canons and beds of the streams in a common tin drinking cup.

G. W. STELLE of this place, has placed us under many obligations for Express favors since our last issue.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMSHIPS

Pacific, Yankee Blade, and Oregon.

War in Europe Inevitable!

Great French War Loan!

NEBRASKA BILL.

BLOCKADE OF ACAPULCO!!!

The new steamship Yankee Blade, belonging to the Independent Opposition Line, arrived in San Francisco in sixty-one running days from New York. We find the following in reference to the blockade of the harbor of Acapulco by Santa Anna, in her Memoranda:

On entering, we saw the steamship Oregon, in company with a brig and ship, bearing S. W., distant about ten miles; the latter fired a number of guns, which were supposed to be for the Yankee Blade, and others for the Oregon, which had laid-to, but the Yankee Blade continued on to her anchorage, where we learned the small ship that fired the guns was the Caroline, of Walker notoriety, now used by Santa Anna for the purpose of blockading the port of Acapulco. We found Acapulco entirely deserted, the inhabitants having taken refuge in the Castle, and the mountains; provisions were exceedingly scarce, in fact we found it utterly impossible to obtain sufficient for our passengers, and the cattle we bought were arrested and detained by Santa Anna. The two forces had been in sight of each other for nearly a week, and a battle was momentarily expected. Thus far, however, there had been out a few skirmishes, in which some prisoners had been taken by the men of Alvarez, and two spies were shot in the town. Several communications had passed between Mr. C. L. Denman, the American Consul, and Santa Anna, in which the former was told to receive no person or goods under his protection, as in case of his (Santa Anna's) victory the American flag would not be respected. Owing to the difficulty in procuring provisions we were detained at Acapulco till 4 P. M., on the 26th, during which time the Oregon arrived and sailed. While weighing anchor, the Captain of the Port came on board, and stated that they had just received information at the Castle that Santa Anna had withdrawn to Mexico, in consequence of a revolt there, and that his army was preparing to retreat.

We are under many obligations to Messrs. Adams & Co., through their efficient and gentlemanly agent in this place Mr. Gardiner, for files of Eastern papers from which we make the following extracts:

The English government was only awaiting the arrival of the message with the Czar's refusal. So soon as the official refusal comes to hand, announcement will be made to both Houses of Parliament and war will be formally declared.

The French Senate have unanimously voted in favor of the loan of 250,000,000 francs called for by Louis Napoleon toward defraying the expenses of the war.

The division of Admiral Napier's fleet, which sailed on the 11th inst. from Portsmouth, comprised 14 ships.

The Seventy-seventh British regiment embarked at Liverpool for Turkey on the same day that Admiral Napier's division sailed from Portsmouth.

The Earl of Clarendon had announced that in the event of war, all Russian produce, to whomsoever it might belong, even if found in vessels of neutral nations, would be considered as lawful prize.

The French government advertises for two hundred ships, to be used as transports in conveying troops and stores to the seat of war. The fleet for the Baltic was to sail on the 8th.

There was no news from Asia or the fleets, and no fighting on the Danube, except by small parties.

The insurrection in Spain had been nearly suppressed.

Accounts by the Pacific state that Mr. Soule was in high favor with the Queen of Spain.

The English fleet of 30 ships, with more than 1000 guns, has sailed for the Baltic. Four French ships, one of them carrying 100 guns, go in company.

The English government has published a large amount of official correspondence with Russia on the Eastern question. It appears that the Czar offered to give Egypt and Candia to England, if Victoria would consent that he should keep the Danube provinces.

The Austrian government has published a manifesto, with regard to the Eastern question, but it is entirely non-committal in its character.

It is reported that France and England will prevent any movement in Italy among the Liberalists.

Vague rumors were afloat to the effect that a misunderstanding had arisen between England and Spain, and that the Spanish Minister would be recalled from London.

The Prussian government has rejected the demand of the Emperor of Russia, that the allied fleets should be excluded from the Prussian ports.

Prussia persists in her determination to maintain her neutrality.

Russia had prohibited the export of wheat from all her ports.

The last advices from Italy state that an earthquake had occurred in the province of Calabria, which had caused the death of two thousand persons.

Hon. Thomas Noon Talfourd, the author of "Ion," "The Athenian Captive," "Glencoe," and other plays, and a distinguished jurist, died at Stafford, England, March 12th, while delivering a charge to the Grand Jury.

STATES NEWS.

A tremendous fire broke out at Dansville, N. Y., on the 31st of March, by which the entire business portion of the city were laid in ruins. Some forty buildings were destroyed; the loss being about $100,000.

A grand procession took place at New Orleans on the 27th of March, in honor of Ex-President Fillmore. The principal streets were thronged, and much cordiality was manifested. He made a speech in the public square, which was enthusiastically received.

The Richmond Enquirer says that W. H. Walthall—a well known merchant of that city—has been detected in forgeries to amount of several thousand dollars, and has gone to parts unknown.

John Mitchel has issued a proclamation in his paper calling on his countrymen to refuse all aid to Great Britain, in case of a war, and to throw all their sympathies in the scale of her enemies.

The Secretary of the Treasury has written a letter to Mr. Gwin, United States Senator from California, in favor of the future issue of gold coins of the denominations of $100, $50 and $25 each, by the Branch Mint at San Francisco. He proposes that the new pieces shall be named the "Union," "Half Union," and "Quarter Union," and that only the Half Union be struck for the present.

A New York correspondent of the Baltimore Sun says, there is good reason to believe that the clipper bark Grape Shot, which left that port on the 24th ult., ostensibly for Constantinople, with George Law's muskets on board, has really gone to a West India port, and that her warlike stores are to be used in the service of the Cuba revolutionists.

The Maine Liquor Law passed the New York Legislature, and was promptly vetoed by Gov. Seymour. The following are some of the Governor's reasons:

The provisions of the law are unjust, and would injure the cause of Temperance more than aid it.

It authorizes searches, &c., which the Constitution expressly forbids, while the seizure and destruction of liquor is of itself entirely unconstitutional.

The section sanctioning the seizing and destroying of liquor opens the door to other and more malicious proceedings, as well as gross frauds.

The principles of the law are dangerous to our liberties, repugnant both to the religious and moral sentiment of the community; and the adoption of it would be the cause of strife and bloodshed to an extent greater than all the benefits the law will confer.

The Nebraska bill was taken up in the House, and on motion of Mr. Cutting of New York was referred to the Committee of the Whole. This places it on the calendar behind some two hundred and fifty other bills, and in all probability it will not be reached the present session.

Unusual excitement prevailed during the municipal election which took place lately at New Orleans, on account of the bitter feeling existing between the "Know-nothings" and the adopted citizens. Three men were killed at the polls and many others seriously wounded.

The great State Stake Race, for $20,000, came off over the Metarie Course at New Orleans on April 1st.

Four horses were entered, viz: Lexington, for Kentucky; Lecompte, for Mississippi; Highlander, for Alabama; and Arrow, for Louisiana.

The race was won by Lexington in two straight heats. Arrow was distanced in the first heat.

The Time of the first heat was 8 m. 8–3 s., and the second heat 8 m. 4 s. Highlander was distanced in the second heat. There was great disappointment at the result, bets having run very high on Highlander.

A large fire broke out in Birmingham, Pa., on the 26th of March, by which upwards of one hundred houses and stores were destroyed. The fire broke out in the glass factory of C. Hunsen & Co.

Phillip Greely, late collector of the port of Boston, Hon. Delancy Carr, formerly American Minister to Constantinople, Jonathan Harrington, last survivor of the battle of Lexington, and Hon. Selah R. Hobbie, first assistant Postmaster General, are dead.

DEATH OF WALKER.—A gentleman arrived in town Thursday, having left San Diego on Monday. He states that just previous to his leaving, a brother of Melendrez arrived and stated that Walker had retraced his steps to Ensenada, and that Melendrez, with a force of fifty men, had attacked him outside of his camp, killing Walker and thirteen of his men. It is reported that the Fillibustero band is entirely broken up and scattered in every direction. Many of them have arrived in this city. It was also reported that Smith, who was captured by Melendrez and sent to La Paza, had been killed on the road.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.—Just as we were going to press, we learned by a letter from David Birdsey, formerly of this city, that the Indians on Rogue river are fighting among themselves. The Applegate Indians (so-called) have killed Jim, the war chief of that tribe who caused so much trouble with the [illegible] last year. The prospects are that a general war between the different tribes will ensue. If so, it will save the whites the trouble of exterminating them.—*Oregonian.*

WHIPPED.—A letter has been received from Chinese Camp by the Stockton Republican, which says that a man was whipped at Chinese Camp on Sunday, having been detected in the act of breaking open a trunk. They gave him twenty on the bare hide, well laid on.—He had just been released from Sonora jail, where he had been sent two weeks ago for disturbing the peace.

CALIFORNIA.—The State of California is over seven hundred miles in length, from northwest to southeast, averaging three hundred in width with an estimated population of 350,000. Her gold fields cover about one-sixth of the whole extent, and her agricultural valleys contain the most productive soil in the world.

The amount of gold dust brought down from the mines by Wells, Fargo & Co's Express during the month of April was $2,900,632, of which $1,883,471 was the product of the northern and $1,017,161 of the southern mines.

SMALL POX.—It is stated in the San Francisco papers, that there are 300 patients, at this time, in the Small Pox Hospital in that city.

"CHIPS" seems to be determined to out do all competitors in the way of keeping us posted in the news line, and we are not sure but he will succeed.

TO MR. GARDINER, Messrs. Adams & Co.'s Express agent in this place, we are indebted for the only Atlantic States papers received this mail.

PUBLIC DOCUMENTS.—We desire to return our sincere thanks to Hon. W. M. Gwin, for Senate Documents, and other interesting papers. We trust that the shadow of our able Senator may never grow less.

Strawberries three and a half inches in girth are plentiful in San Francisco.—We wonder if it don't hurt to eat 'em?

FROM LOS ANGELES.

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY.—On the 30th April, a bloody affray occurred in the gambling house of John Moore, in that city. A man by the name of Jackson was dealing monte for Frank Dana, when a Mr. Smith came in and began to bet. He lost $80; became excited; jumped upon the gambling table; drew his revolver; kicked the money about, and then left the room, but soon returned and commenced to abuse Dana. After some altercation, Smith drew a bowie-knife and brandished it in Dana's face, and Dana drew his pistol. Smith and his partner Lester, who happened to be present, both drew their pistols, and the firing began. Dana was shot in the shoulder, and his left arm was broken in two places; and after he was shot, he fired three times, and missed both Smith and Lester, but killed a Maxican and badly wounded two others who happened to be near. Smith and Lester escaped uninjured, and Dana died.

ANOTHER CITY.—Another city has suddenly sprung into existence in the north. Our readers are already aware that rich discoveries of gold have been recently made at Iowa Hill, near Grass Valley; they attracted general attention, and a population of one thousand immediately collected on the spot. There are already erected and doing a flourishing business, sixteen stores, eleven public houses, four bakeries, three black-smith shops, one daguerean artist, three livery stables, and three physicians. There are sixty-three buildings on the main street, besides many buildings on the cross streets and in the suburbs of the place. There are no less than seventeen yokes of cattle and nineteen mules employed in hauling lumber for building purposes. The dairymen have seventeen cows to supply the place with milk.

That is an impromptu city—found, built, and populated, all within thirty days.

MURDER.—On Wednesday afternoon, Mr. John Sharp, Sr., proprietor of a ranch about twelve miles from Marysville, on Bear river, was shot and almost instantly killed by a man named Sullivan. The deceased had just reached home, after a visit to the city, and discovered Sullivan cutting his timber. The former remonstrated with the intruder on the impropriety of his conduct, when Sullivan took up his gun, loaded with six bullets, and deliberately fired, at a few yards distance, sending the entire charge into the person of Mr. sharp. Sullivan immediately fled but was afterwards arrested and lodged in jail. Mr Sharp was one of the most respectable citizens of Yuba county.

LOLA MONTEZ.—The Countess of Landsfeldt has for a long time, rusticated amid the green groves of Grass Valley, but is about starting on a professional tour through the mines. She has according to report, invested considerable capital in quartz mining speculations, which have all proved fortunate.

At the recent Municipal elections in Marysville, Sacramento and Stockton, the Whigs have made a clean sweep.

New Advertisements.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution to me directed, from the Honorable County Court, I will sell on Mariposa street, in the village of Mariposa, in front of the Court House door, on Saturday the 3d day of June, A. D. 1854, the following property, to wit: A certain Frame House, situated on Main street, in the village of Mariposa, and opposite the Clerk's office, and is now occupied by Isaac Lyons defendant, and being sold as his property to satisfy a Judgment on a Mechanics' Lien, in favor of Newton, Schoonover & Co. plaintiffs.

Terms of sale cash.

my12-4t J. BOLING, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution to me directed, from the Honorable County Court, of Mariposa County, I will offer for sale on Saturday the 3d day of June, 1854, in the village of Mariposa, in front of the Court House door, the following property, to wit: A certain Frame House about half way up from the foot to the top of the large Hill, between Corbitt's Ranch and the Cow and Calf Ranch, and on the Stockton road. The above named property has been levied upon as the property of E. Cole defendant to satisfy a Judgment on a Mechanics' Lien, in favor of Harbour, White & Co. plaintiffs. Terms of sale cash.

my12-4t J. BOLING, Sheriff.

NOTICE.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing between L. A. Holmes, Charles J. Newcomb and T. C. Osborn, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All persons indebted to the above firm, are requested to make immediate payment to L. A. Holmes, who is alone authorized to receive the same.

Mariposa, April 24, 1854.

L. A. HOLMES.
CHARLES J. NEWCOMB,
T. C. OSBORN.

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Henry A. Smith & Co.'s

Grand Raffle!!!

$100,000:

CONSISTING OF

TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS IN SLUGS

Farm, Residence, Building Lots, Watches, &c., &c.

Guaranteed to come off at the *AMERICAN THEATRE*, San Francisco,

ON THE FOURTH DAY OF JULY, 1854.

TICKETS, $1,00 EACH.

To be had of the Proprietors, at their office, corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets, San Francisco, or at the principal Book Stores, Hotels or Saloons, throughout the city and State.

1st Grand Prize—Ten Thousand Dollars in cash.....$10,000

2d Grand Prize—One handsome Residence, consisting of three acres of land, with a beautiful Cottage House, in the city of Oakland, on Broadway, within five minutes walk of the Steamboat Landing. The Proprietors own the property under the Peralta title, and two years' possession—the same, with a warrantee deed, will be given the drawer. Valued at.....5,000

3d Grand Prize—One Ranch, consisting of 100 acres of land, with a good House, Farming Utensils, &c., &c.; this valuable Ranch is located in San Jose Valley, and is held under a confirmed Spanish title; a warrantee deed will be given to the drawer. Valued at.....4,000

4 to 254—Two hundred and fifty valuable building Lots in the City of Oakland, the Brooklin of San Francisco, situated on Broadway, within five minutes walk of the landing. These Lots are unquestionably the most beautiful sites for residences in the State, and are too well known to need description. The proprietors hold the Peralta title and have possession; the drawers will receive warrantee deeds. Size, 25x100; valued low at $200 each.....50,000

255 to 465—Two hundred and ten Fine Gold Lever Watches, Hunting cases, each of equal value; valued at $100.....21,000

466 to 666—Two hundred elegant Chinese Shawls, high cost. These Shawls are of the same quality as are sold daily in this city at $60 each, each one of equal value; valued at $50 each,..10,000

CERTIFICATE.

We, the undersigned, are acquainted with the parties owning the property offered in this Raffle, and also know the Real Estate referred to, and we assure the Public that we consider the title to the property is indisputable.

HON. D. S. SHAFTUCK,
JAMES A. MORRISON, M. D.

The proprietors in conducting this Raffle, bind themselves to carry it on in a manner that will be satisfactory to all who may buy tickets. The drawing will be done by gentlemen chosen by the holders of Tickets, each county in the State sending a committee of one for that purpose. Maps of the Real Estate, and samples of the property may be seen at their office corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets.

For the responsibility of the Proprietors of this Raffle, and that it will be conducted with honesty and integrity, we refer to

His Excellency JOHN BIGLER,
Hon. J. W. DENVER, Secretary of State,
J. H. HARDENBERG, Mayor of Sacramento,
Hon. LEWIS ALDRICH,
Maj. W. H. HARVEY, Serg't-at-Arms Senate.
F. WILSON, Wilson's Exchange,
DAVID JONES, Hotel, Sac. City. my5-6t

MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.

[COMMUNICATED.]

MARIPOSA, May 10, 1854.

Messrs. Editors:—A few days ago whilst examining the effects of a decayed miner, I found amongst some old papers, the following lines, which appear to me to contain some of the true poetic fire, (probably the effect of some of Mac's good brandy which the writer had imbibed.)

If I am not mistaken, I think I have seen some lines on *praying*, which ran in a similar manner, and at once deemed these as a *take off*, written by the wag, and as such,—having a bad tendency,—to be unworthy of preservation. But, (to say nothing of the intrinsic merits of either,) as *praying* is so much below, and *drinking* so much above par amongst us, I think, like most of the young aspirants for political honors, through the length and breadth of this "great and glorious republic," that it's *politic* to join the *strongest* side, and more *popular* to praise *drinking* than *praying*. So let them be *Chronicled*.

Yours, SQUNCH.

WHEN IS THE TIME TO DRINK?

When is the time to drink?
With the first light that guilds Mount Bullion's top,
Ere the bright day has made your eye balls shrink—
Then let us *take a drink*.

And at the noon-tide hour,
When worn by toil, and by sad cares opprest—
Then down your neck a "*brandy smasher*" pour,
And it will give you rest.

And at the "*knock off*" hour,
Whilst yet Eve's glowing colors deck the sky—
Then let's repair to McNamara's store,
And make the "*Cocktails*" fly!

And in the dead of night,
When on tired limbs the fleas do recreate,
With many a curse rise up, and strike a light,
And take a "*whisky straight!*"

When is the time to drink?
In every hour whilst life is spared to thee—
In crowds or solitude—in joy or care,
Thy thoughts on drink should be!

At the last term of the Court of Sessions, among other business transacted, the following roads were declared Public Highways:

The road leading from Mr. Louis Smith's Oak Ranch to Whitlock's Creek.

From Mormon Bar, through Guadalupe, to Beasley's Ranch. David Turner Supervisor.

From Beasley's Ranch, through Agua Frio, to point of intersection of Agua Frio and Mariposa roads. David Turner Supervisor.

From Beasley's Ranch to San Joaquin road, at point between Messrs. Owens and Cunningham's Ranches. John Morehead Supervisor.

From Mariposa to the village of Colorado, and to head waters of Chowchilla and Bear Creeks.

Through Carson's to junction of Stockton and Mariposa road.

From Beasley's Ranch to Corbitt's Ranch, on the Stockton road. W. A. King Supervisor.

The County Treasurer was required to refuse payment of all warrants issued prior to April 1st, 1851, amounting to $2,465, in accordance with an act of the Legislature passed March 1853

A License of $25 per month was ordered to be imposed on all Chinese Gaming Houses in the County, after the first day of May.

County Court.

Hon. J. M. BONDURANT, Judge.

MAY TERM.

Harbour & White vs. E. Cole—Action to enforce lien. Judgment for plaintiffs $146,92. Lien confirmed and sale ordered.

Kavanaugh vs. E. Cole—To enforce a lien. Judgment for plaintiff $153,81 and interest. Lien confirmed and sale ordered.

Orlando Bolles vs. E. Cole—To enforce a lien. Lien confirmed. Judgment for plaintiff $187, and sale ordered.

Agostin Castignette vs. Antonio Janochio—Appeal from Justice's Court. Judgment confirmed.

Philman et al. vs. Smith et al.—Appeal. Judgment for defendant, reversing the decision of the Justice's Court.

The remains of John Howard Payne, the author of "Home, Sweet Home," and who himself died in a foreign land, are to be brought to the United States and interred in the Coneressional burial ground at Washington, and over them a suitable monument will be erected at the expense of the government.

Ex-President Fillmore is making a tour in the South, and has been received with very marked attention, cordial kindness, and distinguished honor. The New York Herald considers the tour a move towards being a candidate for the Presidency.

A severe frost was experienced in Alabama about the first of April, which injured the growing crop. A terrible storm had also passed over the town of Florence, in the same State, blowing down numbers of houses.

We have received a number of interesting documents and papers from Hon. *P. T.* Herbert of the Assembly, for which he will please accept our thanks.

We understand that rich diggings have been struck about twenty or twenty-five miles east from Big Oak Flat, and about 15 miles from Marble Springs. It is stated that the miners are making from fifty to sixty dollars a day to the hand.

THE GREAT RACE.—The great race between Mr. Dallas' "Sway Back," and Mr. Akes' "Arkansas Traveller," came off last Saturday, near Empire City on the Tuolumne. The distance was 500 yards, "Sway Back" giving the "*Traveler*" 50 feet.

The stakes were $12,000 a side.

To the surprise of many, the "*Traveller*" won by about 10 feet exclusive of the odds of 50 feet given by "Sway Back." The time made was 29 seconds.

Stockton Advertisements.

TO THE TRADERS OF THE SOUTHERN MINES.

It is a fact much to be lamented, that the City of Stockton, through the want of enterprise by her mercantile community, has lost, for the past two years, the greater portion of the best trade of the Southern Mines. We propose to remedy this evil.

We ask you, why do you not buy your Goods in Stockton, and patronize our City? You reply at once that prices of merchandise, in Stockton, are held at 10, 15, and 25 per cent. above the jobbing prices in San Francisco. Heretofore, we must admit this to be the fact, but must CONTINUE SO NO LONGER. Stockton must assume the position nature designed for her—per centage must be reduced—inducements MUST be held out to heavy buyers, who pass through to San Francisco and make their purchases for cash. The fact is, goods must be furnished in Stockton at *San Francisco Jobbing prices, with Freight added*. We propose to furnish goods at these rates. We *can* and *will* do it. Our facilities for purchasing in large lots warrant us in advertising to this effect, and we call upon the Merchants and Traders at Mariposa and the surrounding country to give us a trial and satisfy themselves whether or not we will prove our assertions correct.

Mariposa is a large town, a great amount of business is transacted in and about it, shrewd business men are engaged in its trade, competition is strong, and goods must be bought at the lowest rates for your market. All this we are fully aware of, and it is far from our intention to humbug or deceive in our efforts to secure your patronage to our city.

It is certainly more convenient for you to purchase your goods in Stockton, if the rates will justify. The loss of your patronage to San Francisco will be nothing—the gain for Stockton will be immense,

Call and satisfy yourselves.

Terms same as those of the Jobbers in San Francisco.

All goods warranted to be perfect.

Orders promptly attended to and goods shipped at the lowest rates of freight.

Orders for any amount filled and shipped immediately.

WEBSTER & BARSTOW,
Theatre Building, corner of Main and El Dorado sts., Stockton.
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WEBSTER & BARSTOW,

(SUCCESSORS TO MAY & WEBSTER.)

THEATRE BUILDING, STOCKTON,

WOULD respectfully invite the Merchants of Mariposa and surrounding country, to call at the "*San Francisco Store," and "Head-Quarters for the Southern Mines,"* and purchase goods at San Francisco jobbing prices, with freight added. my5-tf

WEBSTER & BARSTOW

HAVE on hand a large and well selected stock of goods BOUGHT BEFORE THE LATE ADVANCE IN PRICES, which they offer at rates to warrant Merchants in the Mines to purchase their goods in Stockton.

Call and examine for yourselves.

100 BBLS "Suffolk Mill" FLOUR, in 50 lb tins—a superior article.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE," Theatre Building, Stockton. my5-tf

75 BBLS Superfine Gallego and Haxall FLOUR.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE," Theatre Building, Stockton. my5-tf

25,000 LBS Extra Clear, Clear, and Mess BACON, in tierces and small cases.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STOTRE," Theatre Building, Stockton. my5-tf

20,000 LBS No. 1 HAMS, in dry salt, in brine, and Patent Covers.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE," Theatre Building, Stockton. my5-tf

275 BOXES Adamantine, French, and Sperm CANDLES.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE," Theatre Building, Stockton. my5-tf

200 PACKAGES LIQUORS, including every quality and description.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE," Theatre Building, Stockton. my5-tf

20,000 LBS No. 1 China SUGAR.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE," Theatre Building, Stockton. my5-tf

50 BBLS Crushed SUGAR.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE," Theatre Building, Stockton. my5-tf

HOLLAND GIN—by the cask.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE," Theatre Building, Stockton. my5-tf

COD FISH—by the drum or box.
For sale at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE," Theatre Building, Stockton. my5-tf

FOR SALE, at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE—
1000 qr sacks Superfine Chili Flour;
200 sacks Potatoes;
500 sacks Barley;
75 sacks Pilot and Soda Bread;
175 bxs Chemical, Olive and brown Soap;
100 sacks new crop Chili Beans;
55 cases leaf Lard;
75 half bbls Crushed Sugar;
45 cases half gherkin Pickles;
40 packages East Boston and Stewart's Syrup, in 5, 8, 10, and 20 gallon packages;
45 doz 2 lb Lobsters;
50 doz 2 lb Oysters;
50 half bbls and qr bbls Dried Apples;
50,000 Havana and American Regalia Cigars;
100 doz Preston & Merrill's Yeast Powders;
100 doz 3 hoop Buckets;
150 doz Ames', Rodger's, Rowland & Hunt's bright cast steel long-handled Shovels;
25 bbls best Carolina Rice;
100 mats No. 1 China Rice;
100 casks Ale and Porter (Tennent's);
50 bbls mess and clear Pork, in whole and half bbls;
25 cases assorted Pie Fruit. my5-tf

FOR SALE, at the "SAN FRANCISCO STORE," a complete stock of *GOODS SUITABLE FOR THE MINES*, consisting in part of
Pickles in kegs, Cranberries, Preserved Peaches; Fresh Peaches in glass, Peppermint, bitters; Starch, Olive Oil, Nutmeg, Cloves, Cinnamon; Allspice, Pepper in grain, Allspice in grain; Ground Spices of all kinds, Lead, Shot, Caps; Salt in 5 lb bags, Salt in boxes, Drilling; Duck of all numbers, Buckwheat in tins; No. 1 Mackerel ...; Ink, Pens, Letter Paper, Envelopes, Wrapping Paper; Collins & Simpson's Picks.

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF CLOTHING.

Satinett Pants, Under Shirts, Drawers, Overalls; Grey Over Shirts, Socks, woolen and cotton; &c., &c. my5-tf

Magnolia House,

CHANNEL STREET, STOCKTON.

J. C. MORRIS, PROPRIETOR.

THE Proprietor of this popular Hotel takes pleasure in announcing to his former patrons and the public generally, that having completed the entire re-modeling of his establishment—one of the most complete and extensive Hotels in California—he is now prepared for the reception of the public. No expense has been spared in re-fiting and furnishing every department with all the modern improvements that would add comfort and luxury in making it truly a model Hotel.

The proprietor would take pleasure in greeting his old friends and patrons at his new establishment, assuring them that every attention they may have received at his hands heretofore, will be renewed on the occasion.

TERMS—Of Board, Lodging, &c., on the same liberal scale as before. j27-tf

T. ROBINSON BOURS. B. WALKER BOURS

T. ROBINSON BOURS & CO.,

REAL ESTATE AGENTS AND BANKERS,

Fire-Proof Building, Centre street, Stockton

AGENTS OF BURGOYNE & CO., SAN FRANCISCO.

EXCHANGE for sale for every steamer, at San Francisco rates, on

Baring, Brothers & Co.	London.
Hottinguer & Co.	Paris.
Beebee & Co.	New York.
John E. Thayer & Co.	Boston.
L. A. Benoist & Co.	St. Louis.
Exchange Bank of Horace Bean & Co.	N. Orleans.

—ALSO—

Sight drafts on

Burgoyne & Co.	San Francisco.
Yaney & Bertine	Sonora.
Read & Co.	Sacramento.
Geo. W. Plume & Co.	Marysville.

Gold Dust and Coin received on general or special deposite.

Highest price paid for Gold Dust. j27-tf

WEBER HOUSE,

Corner of Main and Centre streets, Stockton

UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF W. W. WARNER.

THE Proprietors of this new and spacious Hotel, have the pleasure in announcing to the public that they are now prepared to accommodate all who may favor them with their patronage.

The Weber House is the largest Hotel in Stockton, and being situated in the most pleasant and healthy portion of the city, as well as the centre of business, offers inducements to the resident or traveller seeking a home, that can be found in no other establishment in the Southern Mines.

The several apartments attached to this house, are furnished in a style unsurpassed by any establishment of the kind in the country.

The Table will be supplied with every variety of the season, and all the substantials the market affords, and the Bar with the choicest Wines and Liquors. In short, the Proprietors beg leave to assure the public that no effort shall be wanting on their part to make the Weber House in every respect the most comfortable house in Stockton, and fully adequate in all things to the wants of their patrons. j27-tf

Mariposa Advertisements.

Zinc Store.

HUGH DIMOND, of New York. PATRICK HUSSY, of Texas. CHAS. F. M'DERMOTT, Cincinnati.

DIMOND & CO.,

WHOLESALE and retail dealers in every variety of Goods suitable for the mining region.

Miners and others will please give us a call and examine our goods themselves before purchasing elsewhere, as we will sell at the lowest market prices. my5-tf

Phillips Hotel,

Main Street, Mariposa.

Re-Opened.

WILLIAM PHILLIPS, Proprietor.

THIS WELL KNOWN, convenient and commodious HOTEL, has been entirely re-modled and re-fitted, by the proprietor; and he would take this occasion to inform his former patrons and the public generally, that he is now ready to furnish them with the

BEST OF ACCOMMODATIONS,

On the most reasonable terms.

m24-tf WM. PHILLIPS, Proprietor.

DEAN & O'DONNELL,

CHRONILCE BUILDING,

Main Street, Mariposa.

THE undersigned have opened, in the Store formerly occupied by Messrs. McNAMARA & CRIPPEN, with a large and well selected assortment of

GOODS,

Which we will sell at the lowest prices for CASH.

Miners and others purchasing, will do well to give us a call. DEAN & O'DONNELL.

Notice.

HAVING closed up our business, and disposed of our house and stand to Messrs. DEAN & O'DONNELL, we cordially recommend them to our former customers, as also to the public generally. Mr. CRIPPEN will still remain at the *old* stand to close up the *old* business.

J. F. McNAMARA,
JOSH. CRIPPEN.
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Dr. Grandvoinet,

PHYSICIAN, SURGEON,

AND

ACCOUCHER,

OFFERS his services to the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity.

He keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Drugs and Medicines, Surgical Instruments, Syringes and Glyster Pipes, Patent Medicines, Syrups, Oils, Fancy Goods, Perfumery, Cigars, Etc., Etc,*

which he will sell at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

The following is a list of prices for some of the articles composing his stock, which will give an idea of his rates of charges:

		Retail.	Wholesale.
QUININE,	℔ oz	$6,00	$4,50
OPIUM,	do	1,50	1,00
SEIDLITZ POWDERS,	℔ box	75	50
HOPS,	℔ lb	1,00	50
TARTARIC ACID,	do	1,50	75
CREAM OF TARTAR,	do	1,00	50
POOR MAN'S PLASTER,	one	50	25
PLANTEN'S CAPS, PATENT PILLS,	℔ box	50	
	do	50	
AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL,	℔ bottle	1,50	
DAVIS' PAIN KILLER,	do	50	

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EL DORADO

RESTAURANT

AND

COFFEE SALOON,

On Charles, between 3rd and 4th streets.

The proprietors, grateful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to them, would respectfully say to persons wishing a single meal, or board by the week, that they cannot do better than to give them a call, and try some of their

Hot Coffee;
Hot Tea;
Hot Chocolate;
Hot Biscuit;
Beef Steak;
Pork Steak;
Mutton;
Venison Steak and Apple Sauce;
Fried Ham and Eggs.

Soups and Stews of all descriptions, and all kinds of Game constantly on hand.

All kinds of Cakes made on the shortest possible notice.

For the benefit of the public they will keep their house open until one o'clock in the morning.

Board per week $12; Single Meals $1; Extras charged for accordingly. Payment to be invariably in advance.

j19-tf AUGUSTE PUJOL

EL DORADO HOTEL

AND

BILLIARD SALOON,

On Charles, between 3d and 4th streets, Mariposa.

THE undersigned, proprietors of the above named Hotel, have recently re-furnished their sleeping apartments in a costly and splendid style, for the accommodation of the public, and as heretofore, will hold themselves in readiness to wait upon all who may favor them with a call.

Their Billiard Saloon contains one of Winan's best Tables; and the choisest Liquors and best Cigars will be kept constantly on hand.

For beds inquire at the bar.

Connected with the above establishment is a splendid Restaurant, where meals of every description can be obtained at all hours.

j19-1y G. B. ABEL & L. VINING.

Mariposa Bath House

AND

SHAVING SALOON,

Opposite the Franklin House, Mariposa.

THE undersigned, grateful for past patronage, would respectfully invite the inhabitants of Mariposa and vicinity, and also travelers and sojourners in this region, who may feel an inclination to take either a warm or cold bath, and get shaven, shorn, and shampooed, or either one of them, to give him a call.

j19-1y PHOENIX LANSING.

Clark, Lamon & Co.,

OF THE

BEAR CREEK STEAM MILL,

HAVE constantly on hand a general assortment of Lumber of the best quality, and on the most reasonable terms.

The Bear Creek Steam Mill is situated four miles and a half from Mariposa, from which place there is a good mountain road.

The proprietors feel thankful for the encouragement which they have already received, and hope by a strict and punctual attention to business to merit a continuation of a full share of public patronage.

Our agents in Mariposa, Carsontown, Agua Frio, Mount Ophir, Hornitos, Quartzburg, and Bear Valley, will be kept constantly supplied with Lumber, and orders left with them or sent to the Mill will be promptly attended to.

LUMBER AT THE MILL $50 PER THOUSAND.

A short credit will be given on good security.

When Lumber is delivered, however, a sufficiency to defray the expense of hauling will invariably be required.

HORSES, MULES, WORK CATTLE, &c.,

taken in exchange for Lumber. A liberal discount allowed for cash on large bills.

Call and see us before giving orders elsewhere, and remember that we sell as cheap as the cheapest.

feb10-3m

Mariposa Advertisements.

New SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

AT

A. BLUMENTHAL'S

General Clothing and Dry Goods Store,

OPPOSITE THE SOUTHERN HOTEL, MARIPOSA,

HAVING just returned from San Francisco with a large and splendid assortment of *GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION*, I would respectfully invite the citizens of Mariposa county to call and supply themselves with the LATEST STYLES AND THE BEST QUALITIES of articles ever offered for sale in this part of the country. a28-tf

Lumber BY THE MILLION!!

PIONEER SAW MILL!

A No. 1.

THE undersigned would announce to their friends and the public generally, that their *NEW STEAM SAW MILL, At Millville, near the head of Sherlock's Creek* is now in operation, and they are ready to accommodate all who will favor them with a call, or order, for any description of *THE BEST QUALITY OF LUMBER*; and if they do not saw as *smooth*, as fast, and sell as *low* as any other mill in this county, they will forfeit the cost of a visit to their mill. Millville, April 28th, 1854.

D. WHITE & CO.,
G. GREEN, Agent.

P. S. All kinds of Stock, Hay, Barley, and Potatoes, &c., &c. taken in exchange for Lumber.
D. W. & CO., G. G., Ag't.

N. B. This mill is two miles nearer the stage road than any other mill in the lumber regions in this county.
a28-4t

Doctors Thos. Payne & W. W. Ward

HAVE associated themselves in the practice of their Profession. Office, on Main street, where one or both may be found at all hours.
Mariposa, April 18th, 1854. ap21-y6*

United States' Restaurant AND Billiard Saloon.

MONS. AUGUSTE THIEFFRY, Proprietor of the above named RESTAURANT, has recently re-furnished his house in a costly and splendid style, for the accommodation of the Public, and as heretofore, will be ready to wait upon all who may favor him with a call.

Board per week $9 00, without wine.
" " $12 00, with wine. ap21-tf

Soda Water MANUFACTORY,

Main Street, Mariposa.

KRAFFT, HOWELL & HICE, PROPRIETORS.

Would respectfully inform their friends and the public generlly, that they are now in active operation, and are prepared to supply all demands for their celebrated SODA WATER or "POP."—Thankful for past favors, they hope by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon them. ap21

A. W. Jee's STORE,

Morman Bar, at the Junction of Mariposa and Stockton Creeks.

THE Subscriber has constantly on hand a well selected supply of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS, AND MINING TOOLS.

Also all other descriptions of GOODS adapted for the Miner, all of the best quality—for sale at the lowest prices, and would most respectfully ask a continuance of his friend's favors, and solicits a call from the public.

ARTHUR W. JEE.
Morman Bar, Mariposa. ap21-6m

LONE STAR

Restaurant.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS OPENED A BAR AND BOARDING HOUSE, AT

Morman Bar,

Where he will be happy to furnish his customers with the best Liquor and Table to be found in that section.

Boarders at this House are furnished with GOOD BEDS—not turned out of doors to sleep.

ap21-2m JAMES DUFF & CO.

ROBERT SACHS,

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER,

HAVING permanently located himself in the town of Mariposa respectfully informs the public generally, that he is prepared to make all kinds of

Rich Jewelry and Specimen Work,

to order;

Repair and Clean Watches, Melt and Refine Gold, &c.,

On reasonable terms, at his establishment next door to the FRENCH DOCTOR'S,

CHARLES STREET, MARIPOSA.

Sign of the "BIG WATCH!"

A share of patronage is respectfully solicited.
a7-tf

N COHN & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS,

KEEP contantly on hand a full assortment of the following articles:
Genuine Havana Cigars, various brands,
do American do do do;
Chewing, Fine Cut and Smoking Tocacco;
Hardware, Carpenters' Tools;
Window Glass, White Lead, Oil, Putty, Brushes;
Books, Stationery, &c.;
Cutlery, Clocks, Colt's Pistols, &c.;
Saddlery, Lamp Oil and Candles;
Wall, Foolscap, Letter and Fancy Paper;
American, Mexican and Barcelona Cards;
Looking Glasses, Violins, Flutes, Garden Seeds.

—ALSO—

An endless variety of Fancy Goods, Perfumery, etc., etc. In fact, every thing usually found in a variety store.

GRIESMAN & CO.,
88 Sacramento street, San Francisco.
N. COHN & CO.,
j20-1y Main street, Mariposa.

Old Mormon Bar RESTAURANT.

THE PROPRIETOR of the above old and well-known establishment, begs leave to inform the public that he is now prepared to supply boarders, and all others who may favor him with a call, with the best accommodations ever before offered in the vicinity.

His Table will always be supplied with the very best the *MARKET AFFORDS;*

And his Bar with the Choicest Liquors in California.

Connected with the Restaurant is a

BAKERY,

from which boarders, &c., will be supplied with all sorts of Bread, Cakes, and Pies.

All sorts of COOLING DRINKS constantly on hand.

Meals at all hours.

Furnished Bed-Rooms for the accommodation of boarders, and the traveling public generally. April 18th, 1854

a28-3t JOSEPH BROWN.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.—PIONEER DIVISION No. 19, S. of T. meets every Friday at 7 o'clock, P. M. at Masonic Hall.

Officers of the Division—Dorsey Ramsden, W. P.; Geo. B. Dunton, W. A.; R. H. Daly, R. S.; Wm. Starke, A. R. S.; M. H. Almond, F. S.; H. B. Carman, T.; W. M. Cann, C.; C. G. Lind, A. C.; N. P. Whitney, I. S.; John Rieley, O. S. ap14-tf

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Joseph M. Brown & Co.,

IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF HARDWARE, Metals and Mining Tools of every description, No. 81 California street, Empire Block, San Francisco.

Country Merchants will find at our store the most complete stock of the above Goods in this State, and on the most reasonable terms. m10-3m

A. C. MESSERVE & CO.

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

IN Upholstery Goods, Paper Hangings, Carpets, &c., Fire Proof Store, No. 128 Clay street, above Sansome, San Francisco. feb3-tf

PICKETT & MOUNT,

Grocers and Commission Merchants,

Front street, between Sacramento and Long Wharf, San Francisco.
feb3-tf

2,000 MATS CHINA RICE—
100 bxs and ½ bxs Adamantine Candles;
250 bxs French Bougies; 100 do Spm Candles;
500 kegs East Boston Syrup;
100 cases Salt, 20lb kegs;
50 cases Salt, in boxes;
30 cases Grape Tobacco;
100 gross Smoking Tobacco;
200 pkgs Imperial Tea, 1lb caddies;
150 cases Assorted Spices;
150 boxes Young Hyson, ¼lb papers;
1000 boxes Hill & Colgate's Soap;
250 boxes C. O. Soap;
1000 tins Assorted Crackers;
200 cases ½ gallon Brandy Peaches;
150 boxes Starch;

For sale by GOODWIN & CO.,
ap21-1m 62 California st., San Francisco.

400 MATS NO. 1 CHINA SUGAR—150 brls and hf do crushed and powdered Sugar:
100 bbls N. O. Sugar;
250 boxes 1 and 2lb Imperial Tea;
150 do Young Hyson Tea;
500 do Adamantine Candles;
200 do French Bougies.
1000 bags Chili Beans;
20,000 lbs White Beans;
200 sacks English Walnuts;
50 sacks Whole Peppers;
1000 gross R. W. Matches;
250 bags Rio Coffee.
100 ceroons Chile Peaches,
100 cases Sardines,
150 casks Ale and Porter,
275 casks Claret,
200 cases Champage Cider,
100 baskets Champagne,
200 dozen superior Brooms,
200 dozen 3-hoop Buckets.

For sale by GOODWIN & CO.,
ap7-1m 62 California st., San Francisco.

250 BBLS. NO. 1 HAMS, IN BRINE—
20 casks Hams, dry salt;
75 cases Lard, in tins;
20 casks Clear Bacon;
40 cases extra Clear Bacon;
50 half bbls extra Clear Perk;
200 firkins Goshen Butter;
250 kegs East Boston Syrup;
250 half bbls Corn Meal;
1000 mats No. 1 China Rice;
100 half bbls Carolina Rice;
100 kegs Cranberries;
1000 tins assorted Crackers;
100 kegs Leaf Lard;
200 cases Kensett's Baltimore Oysters;
150 do Fresh Peaches;
100 do Strawberries and Raspberries;
75 do Chicken and Turkey;
200 boxes Maccaroni and Vermicelli;
150 do Assorted Spices;
1000 do Hill & Colgate's Soap;
500 do Terlit & C. O. Soap;
100 do Assorted Candies.

For sale by GOODWIN & CO.,
ap7-1m 62 California st., San Francisco.

Wonderful Changes

GOING ON

Throughout the World!!!

BUT none has taken place within the last month, of half the importance to the people of California, as the one among Restaurant and Hotel Keepers upon the announcement that

M. L. WINN HAD FAILED.

The second or third day after he had left the

"Fountain Head"

THE PRICE OF BOARD WAS ADVANCED

About one half by all the Restaurants in Town

and even those holding a little brief authority at the "Fountain Head," followed in the footsteps of their illustrious predecessors in the attempt to FORCE the people to pay DOUBLE the former price for Board—and that, too when paovisions cost mere nothing.

WILL THE PEOPLE SUBMIT TO SUCH IMPOSITION? If not then

RALLY TO THE "FOUNTAIN HEAD,"

Where will be found a Bill of Fare nearly as low as in any of the Eastern Cities.

Since our return to our old position, placards may be seen upon nearly every restaurant in the city, "Potatoes and bread served with all dishes of meats free of charge." What a wonderful change! Four weeks ago it was declared to be a losing game to furnish these things without pay, and the people had to pay for them because WINN was out of the way, and the restaurant keepers could do as they pleased—but mark the difference, WINN IS AGAIN AT THE "FOUNTAIN HEAD," and down comes the prices, and the people are called upon to patronize these very philanthropic gentlemen for the only reason that they furnish board at a fair rate, whenthey are compelled to do so by the proprietor of

"WINN'S FOUNTAIN HEAD."

With these things in view we call upon the people to come to the "Fountain Head" *en masse* and live well and cheap while they can, for when we retire again from business, board will cost double in San Francisco what it does to-day.

ap14-tf M. L. WINN.

PURE GROUND COFFEE AND

SPICE,

AT BOVEE & CO.'S CELEBRATED

Steam Mills,

BROADWAY, SAN FRANCISCO

THE INCREASED DEMAND FOR BOVEE & CO.'S Ground Coffee and Spices, has induced the proprietors to enlarge their facilities and renew their exertions.

To all those who have heretofore used their Coffee, they would assure them that they are determined to spare no pains to furnish the r.p.p.p. to a truly PURE and Genuine article of

Ground Coffee.

They have recently erected Machinery, by which the smoke is driven from the Coffee the instant it is taken from the fire, thereby retaining its clear and genuine flavor, an operation which has only recently been introduced in the manufactory of Coffee, and never before in this country. Our Coffee is put up in desirable packages, and bears in name and lable. It can be procured at all the wholesale stores throughout the State.

W. H. BOVEE & CO.

Mills, Broadway, between Dupont and Stockton sts.

N. B.—All Coffee and Spices manufactured at our mills and bearing our names, may be returned and all expenses refunded, if it does not prove to be as represented.

ap7-tf W. H. B. & CO.

$50,000

WORTH OF

FURNITURE!

NOW OPENING AT HOWES & CO.,

180 *Montgomery street, San Francisco.*

BEING that large and desirable stock of Furniture shipped to Nendalle, Silver & Co., of this city, which we have purchased of the original shippers at 50 PER CENT LESS THAN COST.

Consequently we are now prepared to offer at wholesale or retail, to dealers, families, Hotel keepers, and others our immense stock, at the lowest rates for cash. The above stock comprises in part the following articles:
Parlor Sets, Wardrobes;
Secretaries, Tables;
Chairs, Rockers;
200 Sofas, 200 Bureaus;
50 Chamber Sets;
Mattrasses, Feathers, Bedsteads;
Office Chairs, Office Desks;
Settees, Mirrors, &c., &c.

Our friends in Mariposa can rely upon finding at our warehouse every description of articles in the Furniture line, at prices which we guarantee shall be as low, for the same quality of goods, as at any other establishment in the city.

HOWES & CO.,
Remember the Nunber—
feb3-tf 180 Montgomery street.

Duncan's Famous Chinese Salesroom,

No. 112 Sacramento street, (extending through to Long Wharf,) San Francisco.

STEAMER SALES OF HOME PRESENTS! NEW AND RICH STYLES OF CANTON CRAPE SHAWLS! Japanese Goods, inlaid with Pearl, from the Empire of Japan, comprising every variety of beautiful and elaborate Curiosities, suitable for gifts.

RARE EMBROIDERIES, ELEGANT SILK AND SATIN GOODS,

with other articles endless in variety, and of the rarest and most beautiful description.

SALES—every day of each week, immediately preceeding the departure of the Panama and San Juan steamers. feb3-tf

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A. B. M'NEIL. C. BOLLMEYER.

McNEIL & BOLLMEYER

Wholesale Dealers in Groceries, Liquors, &c., &c., &c.,

No. 58 Front street, between Sacramento and California,
feb3-tf San Francisco.

Silks, New Styles.

Taaffe, McCahill & Co.,

SAN FRANCISCO,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED PER STEAMER SIERRA NEVADA,

A select Invoice of FASHIONABLE SILKS: SUCH AS *Colored Check Silks, New Styles; Black Brocade Silks, Plain Changeable Silks,*

And an assortment of BLACK SILKS, ALL QUALITIES AND WIDTHS.

—ALSO—

An Invoice of *BLACK AND COLORED SEWING SILK.*

TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,
m10-4t Front st., corner Sacramento.

Wholesale DRY GOODS.

Taaffee, McCahill & Co.,

SAN FRANCISCO,

HAVING MADE EXTENSIVE ARRANGEMENTS for receiving a large and well selected assortment of STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, Direct from New York, by every Clipper, As well as by *EXPRESS, VIA THE ISTHMUS,*

And having just received a COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of every kind of Goods adapted to the wants of the market, are able to offer superior inducements to the CITY AND COUNTRY TRADE

We would also invite the attention of purchasers for the OREGON and SANDWICH ISLAND MARKETS, to our Stock, believing that we can supply them with articles, in our line, suited to their trade, on terms quite as reasonable as any House on the Pacific Coast.

HOTEL KEEPERS AND STEAMBOAT OWNERS will find every article suited to their wants in our Stock and at reduced prices.

TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,
m3-tf Front, corner Sacramento st.

WM. B. COOKE. G. L. KENNY. GEO. STURTEVANT.

WHOLESALE BOOK STORE, AND STATIONERS' HALL.

COOKE, KENNY & CO.,

Corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets, San Francisco.

Importers of English, French and American Fancy and Staple STATIONERY.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in LAW, MEDICAL, MISCELLANEOUS, SCHOOL AND BLANK BOOKS.

Agents and Dealers in MAGAZINES and REVIEWS.

BLANK BOOKS made to order on the shortest notice. feb10-tf

FRUIT TREES, VINES, AND SHRUBBERY.

CITIZENS OF CALIFORNIA—Having seen the great attraction of the Horticultural Fair and the splendid Oregon Apples, sold in San Francisco for one and two dollars a piece, you know that Oregon Fruit and Fruit Trees are

NO HUMBUG.

Many of the Trees and Vines that we sold last winter have *Produced* fruit this season, and all have given satisfaction, for the truth of which we refer to our patrons: Rev. O. C. Wheeler, Rev. Isaac Owen, Hon. J. F. Lease, Gen. J. A. Sutter, Maj. W. J. Jacks, Napa City; Hon. C. Hester, O. E. Crosby, W. W. McCoy, E. L. Beard, and Franklin, San Jose Valley; Messrs. Johnston & McCabe, B. R. Buckelew, Mr. Weaver, of Stockton, and J. W. Robinson, of San Diego.

Farmers, Gardners and Ranche Owners, are your grounds in readiness? The earlier you plant the better. It affords us pleasure to inform you that we will open in about ten days, in the basement of the Commercial Advertiser Building, on Montgomery street, between Clay and Washington, the finest lot of choice Fruit Trees, of every variety and kind ever offered in this market, as also Vines, Plants and Shrubs, both useful and ornamental, of every variety, a full assortment of which will be kept complete by semi-monthly arrivals from Oregon up to April 1854. Our prices will be reasonable, and all that we offer to the public will be warranted alive and true to the label.

Also, all kinds of Garden Seeds for sale.

We will also warrant that our Trees can be carried to any part of this Coast, or to any of the Islands with success.

Orders solicited, to which prompt attention will be given. Purchasers will please call and examine at the above place. San Francisco, Dec. 13, 1853.

feb3-tf A. H. & A. MYRES.

TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,

San Francisco,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED PER CLIPPER SHIP

EAGLE,

A splendid assortment of very DESIRABLE *FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,* Comprising almost EVERY ARTICLE in the Dry Goods line, which they offer at unusual LOW PRICES, and to which they invite the attention of the CITY and COUNTRY TRADE.

TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,
m3-1m Front street, corner Sacramento.

FOR SALE BY

COIT & BEALS,

SAN FRANCISCO,

STATUARY MANTELS—EX ONWARD.—3 splendid Statuary Marble Mantels;
7 Veined Italian Marble Mantels;
100 Choice Philadelphia made Mantels.

The above Beautifully Carved, and of Elaborate Finish. Samples now on exhibition at our office.

Table Tops, Italian Marble Counter Tops.

Just received—Ex Onward.

Tomb Stones, in great variety, made and carved to order.

We have the best workmen in the United States

ITALIAN MARBLE.

GRANITE AND FREESTONE WAREHOUSE,
No. 94 Battery street.

Obelisks, Monuments, Headstones;
Imposing Stones, Table Tops, Centre Tables.

The largest and best assortment in the city.
Italian Marble Mantels, of various patterns;
Richly carved Statuary Marble Mantels.
All kinds of lettering done to order.
Quincy Granite, Connecticut Freestone;
Some choice patterns of moulded Architectural Lintels, Red Freestone, &c.

We are constantly in receipt of fresh supplies of Mantels and Grates, together with building Fronts, &c., by clippers from New York, and we are at all times prepared to execute jobs of work on the most reasonable terms.

COIT & BEALS,
Sign of the Marble Obelisk,
feb3-1mis 94 Battery street, corner Clay.

J. H. COGHILL & CO.,

HAVE Removed to the New and commodious Brick Store,

137 *Front street, one door north of Jackson, San Francisco,*

where they offer at the lowest market rates, their large and fresh stock of

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

feb3-1m

L. MILLS, of San Francisco. | JAS. VANTINE, formerly of Knight's Ferry

Mills & Vantine,

IMPORTERS and dealers in WINES, LIQUORS and CIGARS, and Agents for Mill's Celebrated Wine Bitters, 64 Front street, (corner of Sacramento street,) San Francisco. m3-tf

H. Carrison.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN *FURNITURE AND BEDDING*, No. 143 Sacramento street, cor. of Webb, San Francisco.

M. C. will pay strict attention to Furnishing Steamships, River Boats and Hotels. m10-3m

J. B. WIER,

IMPORTER AND DEALER,

IN

BUTTER, CHEESE, LARD, HAMS, PORK, &c., &c., 48 Front street, near California, San Francisco.
feb3-tf

GEORGE M. GARDNER,

(Successor to Daniel C. McGlynn,)

WHOLESALE DEALER IN

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH, &c.

No. 117 Washington street, next door to the corner of Sansome, San Francisco.
feb3-tf

A CHOICE lot of Seasoned WEATHER BOARDING and EXTRA CLEAR SUGAR PINE, for doors, windows, sash, &c.

For sale at the Bear Creek Steam Mill. feb10-3m

MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.

[From the N. Y. Spirit of the Times.]

AN ORIGINAL LOVE STORY.

He struggled to kiss her. She struggled the same
To prevent him, so bold and undaunted;
But, as smitten by lightning, he heard her exclaim,
"Avaunt, sir!" and off he avaunted.

But when he returned, with the *fiendishest* laugh,
Showing clearly that he was affronted,
And threatened by main force to carry her *off*,
She cried "Don't!" and the poor fellow donted.

When he meekly approached, and got down at her feet,
Praying loud, as before he had ranted,
That she would forgive him, and try to be sweet,
And said, "Can't you?"—the dear girl re-canted.

Then softly he whispered—"How *could* you do so?
I certainly thought I was jilted.
But come thou with me, to the parson we'll go;
Say, wilt thou, my dear?" and she wilted.

Then gaily he took her to see her new home—
A shanty by no means enchanted—
"See! here we can live with no longing to roam,"
He said—"Shan't we, my dear?" So they shantied!

STORY OF TOOTH BRUSHES.

The following is told by Mrs. Moodie, in her work on Canada, called "Life in the Clearings." It is related as a fact by her, but it is a very old westerism done up in new clothes:

A gentleman who was traveling in company with Sir A——, told me an anecdote of him, and how he treated an impertinent fellow on board one of the lake boats, that greatly amused me. The state cabins in these steamers open into the great saloon; and, as they are often occupied by married people, each berth contains two beds, one placed above the other. Now it often happens, when the boat is greatly crowded, that two passengers of the same sex are forced to occupy the same sleeping-room. This was Sir A——'s case, and he was obliged, though very reluctantly, to share his sleeping apartment with a well dressed American, but evidently of low standing, from the familiarity of his manners and the bad grammar he used. In the morning, it was necessary for one gentleman to rise before the other, as the space in front of their berths was too narrow to allow of more than one performing his ablutions at a time. Our Yankee made a fair start, and had nearly completed his toilet, when he suddenly spied a tooth-brush and a box of tooth powder in the dressing-case, his companion had left open upon the washstand. Upon these he pounced, and having made a liberal use of them, he flung them back into the case, and sat down upon the only chair the room contained in order to gratify his curiosity by watching how his partner went through the same process. Sir A——, greatly annoyed by the fellow's assurance, got out of bed, and, placing the wash-hand basin on the floor, put his feet into the water and commenced scrubbing his toe-nails with the desecrated tooth-brush. Jonathan watched his movements a few seconds in silent horror; at length, unable to contain himself, he exclaimed:

"Well, stranger, that's the dirtiest use I ever see a tooth-brush put to, anyhow!"

"I saw it put to a dirtier just now," said Sir A——, very cooly. "I always use it for cleaning my toes!"

A TROUBLESOME SHIRT.

As an illustration of the simplicity and absent mindedness of the elder Coleridge, the following laughable anecdote is told of that learned reverend gentleman:

"Dining in a large party one day, the modest divine was suddenly shocked by perceiving some part, as he conceived, of his own snowy shirt emerging from a part of his habiliments, which we will suppose to have been his waistcoat. It was not that; but for decorum we will so call it. The stray portion of his own exposed tunic was admonished of its errors by a forcible thrust back into a proper home; but still another limbus persisted to emerge, or seemed to persist, and still another, until the learned gentleman absolutely perspired with the labor of establishing order. And, after all, he saw with anguish, that arrears of the snowy indecorum still remained to reduce into obedience. To this remnant of rebellion he was proceeding to apply himself—strangely confounded, however, at the obstinacy of the insurrection—when the mistress of the house, rising to lead away the ladies from the table, and all parties naturally rising with her, it became suddenly apparent to every eye, that the worthy Orientalist had been most laboriously stowing away, into the capacious receptacle of his own habiliment,—under the delusion that it was his own shirt—the snowy folds of the lady's gown belonging to his next neighbor; and so voluminously, that a very small portion of it indeed, remained for the lady's own use—the natural consequence of which was, of course, that the lady appeared inextricably yoked to the learned theologian, and could not in any way effect the release, until after certain operations on the vicar's dress, and a continued refunding and rolling out of snowy mazes upon snowy mazes, in quantities which at length proved too much for the gravity of the company. Inextinguishable laughter arose from all parties, except the erring and unhappy doctor, who, in dire perplexity, continued still refunding with all his might—perspiring and refunding—until he had paid up the last arrears of his long debt, and thus put an end to a case of distress more memorable to himself and his parishioners, than any 'quæ equara quiditine' case that had probably ever perplexed his learning."

No man who has once heartily and wholly laughed, can be altogether, irreclaimably depraved.

When you hear the bell ring, go along.

CLEMENT S. SIMPSON. GEORGE IRETON.

SIMPSON & IRETON,

"Whisky Flat," Sherlock's Creek, Sign of the "Ground Hog,"

KEEP constantly on hand a large stock of general Merchandise and Groceries, selected with great care in the San Francisco market, and well adapted to the wants of Miners and the community generally.

They respectfully request their friends and the public generally, to call on them at their store, "Whisky Flat," on Sherlock's Creek, where they can be accommodated at low prices.

We are determined to use our best efforts to afford good articles cheap for cash. feb24-3m

WALLACE'S

GARDEN RANCH,

AND

GENERAL PROVISION STORE,

MT. OPHIR.

THE public of Mt. Ophir and surrounding district are informed that this establishment is now supplied with one of the largest and best assorted stocks of Goods in the line, that can be found in the County, all or any portion of which will be sold as low as the lowest.

In the Boarding and Lodging department, every attention will be shown to patrons.

Regular boarders and sojourners will always find a well furnished table, and good clean beds.

feb10-tf HENRY WALLACE.

$10 REWARD.—Strayed from the Wild Goose Ranche, a large WHITE OREGON SOW—short tail, and both ears clipped. Whoever will return said Sow to the above ranche, or give information that will lead to her recovery, will receive the above reward, and the thanks of the subscriber.

WILLIAM PINCHBECK.

Wild Goose Ranch, April 10, '54. ap21-4t*

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COLE & NAGLE,

AGENTS FOR

VALPARAISO,
GUAYMAS,
PANAMA AND
AUSTRALIA

LINES OF PACKETS.

These lines are composed of first class

CLIPPER SHIPS,

Affording superior accommodations to passengers, and invariably supplied with abundant provisions of the very best quality. Departures for the above named ports punctually every two weeks.

For information regarding voyages, price of passage, &c., apply by letter or otherwise, to

COLE & NAGLE,

m10-tf Cor. Pacific and Front sts., San Francisco.

RECEIVED Per Recent Arrivals—
A large assortment of Cooking Stoves;
Parlor Grates, of various patterns and sizes;
500 kegs cut Nails;
Leather, Hemp, and Gutta Percha Hose;
Douglass & Farnum's brass Force Pumps;
Common lifting Pumps,
Lead Pipe of all sizes;
Sheet Lead, &c.;
Britannia, bright and Japaned Tin Ware;
Every variety of plain Tin Ware.
sale at wholesale or retail.

—ALSO—

Two splendid marble top Billiard Tables, complete
Ten Pins and Balls;
Stone Cutters;
Mallets, &c., &c

G. & W. SNOOK,

j19-tf 141 Washington street.

QUARTZ ROCK JEWELRY.

BARRETT & SHERWOOD

BEG leave to announce the arrival of a celebrated LAPIDARY ARTIST, engaged especially in the East for them. The machinery for this exquisite branch of their business is of the most improved and perfect description, being ordered for their establishment here, without any regard to cost.

They are now able to cut and test all kinds of precious stones and gems; no longer therefore, need the curious treasures of our soil and mines remain unregarded and undeveloped. Quartz rock mixed with gold, when cut and polished, makes the most beautiful and unique style of jewelry. Rings, Pins, Studs, Seals, Cane Heads, Coat Buttons, and a hundred different things, can now be manufactured from it, that for beauty of design and elegance of finish would be highly appreciated in the Eastern States, rendering them, above all other souvenirs, the most superior for home presents. Call and see them at

BARRETT & SHERWOOD'S

Montgomery street, one door from Commercial street, San Francisco.

N. B.—Quartz mixed with gold, suitable for cutting, purchased at from one to five hundred per cent., above the net gold value. feb10

MINERS' EXCHANGE

AND

Saving Bank.

ARMORY HALL, CORNER OF MONTGOMERY AND SACRAMENTO STS., SAN FRANCISCO.

DR. A. S. WRIGHT.

DEPOT for the reception of GOLD DUST for the United States Mint at San Francisco.

The Miner is hereby informed that the Mint will be in full operation in a very short time, and Dr. W is now fully prepared to receive and receipt for all remittances made for coinage. Dr. W. will, when required, make liberal advances and remittances of Gold Dust, at 1¼ per cent. per month interest; and will also allow the same rate of interest when the funds remain over the time required for coinage.

m8-3m A. S. WRIGHT.

SAMUEL H. PRICHARD,

WOULD respectfully offer his services to the Merchants in the Mines, as

COMMISSION BUYER OF GOODS,

In San Francisco, Office Corner of Sacramento and Battery streets.

All orders sent with the money necessary to pay for them, promptly filled at the lowest prices they can be bought, and the lowest rates of commission.

The Goods will be forwarded by an Agent in Stockton to any part of the Southern Mines.

For business qualifications he is permitted to give the following

REFERENCES:

Dr. Woodward, Agua Frio; Pool & Co., Quartzburg; George Branch, Strentzel's Ferry; E. C. Bell, County Clerk, Mariposa. feb17-tf*

G. M. HUTTON.

ALTA FOUNDRY,

Market street, facing Battery street, San Francisco.

SASH, Mulay and Circular Saw Mill and Grist Mill Irons, Horse Powers, Threshing Machines, Quartz Crushing and Mining Machinery, Iron and brass Castings of every description, and Machine work in general, promptly executed at the lowest current rates. feb10-tf

DISEASES

OF THE

EYES AND RHEUMATISM.

DR. DILL, (from St. Louis, Mo., M. D., member of the Parisian and German Medical Societies,) having visited the principal Schools and Hospitals of Europe, expressly to study under the most celebrated Oculists on the continent, as Sichel of Paris, Juengken of Berlin, and others, that most difficult and delicate branch of our profession—

DISEASES OF THE EYE—

takes pleasure in informing the public that he has permanently located himself at San Francisco, where he will treat any case that may present itself; and patients need no longer go to the States to be treated for bad cases.

DR. DILL speaks English, German, French, Spanish, &c.

Office—corner of Davis and Jackson streets.

Letters addressed "P. R. DILL, M. D., San Francisco," promptly answered.

DR. DILL cures the worst cases of Rheumatism by the new treatment, in two weeks or makes no charge.

☞ The poor attended gratis. feb17-6m

THOMAS LAMBERT. CHARLES POTTER.

THOMAS LAMBERT & CO.,

General Commission Merchants,

Washington street, between Battery and Sansome, San Francisco.

ALWAYS on hand a full assortment of HARDWARE, GLASS-WARE; PROVISIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES, and GENERAL MERCHANDISE, selected expressly for the California market, on the most reasonable terms. feb3-tf

War in Europe!

BUT PEACE AND PLENTY HERE!

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE RAILROAD BAKERY AND COFFEE SALOON, 48 *Commercial street, San Francisco*, between Battery and Front, return thanks to a generous public for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon them for the past twelve months, have for the purpose of better accommodating the public, and somewhat relieving the Commercial street side from its continual and overflowing crowds, arranged and fitted up their brick building (directly in the rear,) No. 87 Clay street, with much care, taste and expense, for a Breakfast, Lunch and Supper Room, and the same will be opened to the public on Monday the 13th March, 1854, where every article will be manufactured on the premises, from the very best material, with the utmost care, taste and cleanliness—every branch of the business being under the immediate supervision of experienced and thorough workmen. We being our own Landlords, and manufacturers of our own articles, in all their branches, as well as our own dairymen, give us facilities over all other like establishments. There will be no connection between the Clay and Commercial street sides until we erect our new building on Commercial street the coming season, only so far as the whole is under one general supervision.

m17-tf HALEY & THOMPSON.

J. W. HAYNES. J. H. BOSWORTH.

HAYNES & BOSWORTH,

Shipping and Commission Merchants, Importers and Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FRUITS, &c., &c.,

101 Front street, near Washington, San Francisco.

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Agua Frio Advertisements.

Wormser & Co.,

MAIN STREET, AGUA FRIO,

BEING ABOUT TO LEAVE FOR THE STATES, ARE anxious to dispose of their entire stock of PROVISIONS,

GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
LIQUORS,
DRY GOODS,
&c., &c.

At Less than Cost Prices,

And invite miners and all others in want of goods, to call and get bargains, as we are bound to sell at almost any price.

☞ All persons indebted to us are requesed to call and settle their accounts without delay.

ap14-tf WORMSER & *Co.*

H. W. SCHMIDT,

WOULD respectfully recommend those fond of choice Literature and good Liquors, to call at his Saloon on Main street, Agua Frio. feb10-6m

BUCHENAU & CO.,

BREWERY ESTABLISHMENT,

MAIN STREET, AGUA FRIO,

HAVE constantly on hand a full supply of PORTER and ALE.

Dealers in their line will please give them a call

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NORCROSS'

MILITARY REGALIA,

Elag, Banner, and Ladies Dress Trimming

EMPORIUM.

SAN FRANCISCO.

MASONIC, ODD FELLOWS', CHAPTER, ENCAMPMENT, and other REGALIA embroidered and made to order in a style that cannot be surpassed by any house in the Atlantic States. Full sets for Lodges and private members constantly on hand. Jewels for Templars, Chapters, Blue Lodges, Odd Fellows' and Encampments.

MILITARY GOODS,

of every description imported, together with all kinds of Gold and Silver Embroidery done for Army and Navy Officers.

FLAGS, BANNERS, SIGNALS, BURGESS, &c., &c., made at short notice, and on reasonable terms. Ensigns of all sizes constantly on hand.

LADIES' DRESS AND OTHER TRIMMINGS,

in great variety. Gold and Silver Fringes, Laces, Gimps, Stars, Tassels, Rosettes, Theatrical Trimmings, &c., &c.

D. NORCROSS,

feb10-tf 148 Sacramento, above Montgomery.

WM. B. SAWYER. SILAS W. JOHNSON.

SAWYER, JOHNSON & CO.,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS

In Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Turpentine, Varnishes, Putty, Brushes, Gold Leaf, Bronse, Artist's colors and tools, &c., &c., &c.,

NOS. 103 AND 105 CLAY STREETS,

Between Sansome and Battery streets,

m3-3m San Francisco.

JOHN CHARLTON, JR.,

ENGRAVER ON WOOD, BRASS, STEEL AND COPPER.

SEALS for County Officers, Notaries and Societies, Express Stamps, Stencil Plates, Brands.

Wedding and Visiting Cards engraved in the neatest style, and at the shortest notice.

—ALSO—

A general assortment of Blank Books and Stationery, Miners' Envelopes and Lithographic Views of the Mines may be had at 140 Sacramento street, San Francisco.

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C. A. McNULTY,

Importer and Dealer in Hardware, Miners' Tools, Agricultural Implements, &c.,

No. 82 Battery street, San Francisco,

HAS in store, a large and general assortment, comprising in part—

STEAM ENGINES, BOILERS, SAW-MILL IRONS, PLOWS.

HARDWARE—
O. Ames' long and short handled Shovels;
P. and R. do do do;
King's do do do do;
Spades, Hoes, Axes, Picks;
Tacks, assorted sizes, Plumb Levels;
Bellows, vices, anvils, and irons;
Bench planes, augers, gimblets;
Squares, rules, saw-setts, trays;
Circular, mill, cross-cut, pit and hand saws;
Chisels, drawing knives, adzes;
Stocks and dies, auger bitts, trowels;
Cutlery, locks, bolts, screws, butts;
Hatchets, hammers, Mexican spurs;
Files, a full assortment;
Lead pipe, zinc, block tin, grindstones;
Sheet iron, cut and wrought nails,
Colt's revolvers, powder flasks, percussion caps;
Coffee mills, letter presses, scales;
Hollow-ware, wagon boxes;
Carpenters', Coopers', Blacksmiths' Tools, &c., &c.

BRITANNIA WARE—
Candlesticks, soup ladles, pitchers;
Coffee pots, castors, molasses cups;
Cigar lighters, spittoons, fluid lamps;
Dishes, stands and water pans;
Table and tea spoons, tea sets complete;
Chafing dishes, oblong tureens, &c., &c.

WOODEN WARE—
Tubs, pails, washboards, churns;
Cider and well buckets, trays;
Axe, pick, sledge, adze and hammer handles;
Knife boxes, beef mauls, rolling pins;
Wooden bowls, brushes, mops;
Oval trays, butter stamps, dippers;
Lemon squeezers, bench screws;
Seives, Manila cordage, &c., &c.

City and country dealers will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock and prices.

For sale by C. A. McNULTY,

j19-tf 82 Battery street.

JAMES B. TOWNSEND,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA,

HAS removed his office to 47 (third story,) Montgomery Block, (Halleck, Peachy & Billing's New Building,) corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets. j27-tf

W. L. CHRYSLER, & CO.,

PORK, Beef, and General Merchants, Fire Proof Store, corner of Front and Sacramento streets. j27-tf

150,000 Worth of Furniture,

BRYANT & KINGS

EMPIRE FURNITURE WAREROOMS,

180 *Jackson street, San Francisco.*

AT very low prices for cash, just received and now opened at the wholesale and retail trade, making by far the largest stock ever offered on the Pacific coast, and comprising every variety of rosewood, mahogany, walnut and other kinds of parlor, chamber and office Furniture, together with all kinds of Beds and Bedding.

The attention of dealers in particular is called, as well as all who are furnishing hotels, dwellings or offices, as every article we advertise we positively have on hand, making a selection, we flatter our ourselves, that will meet the wants of all.

N. B.—30 complete unbroken invoices. Call and see us before purchasing elsewhere. j19

PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, ETC.—

Camphene and Turpentine, 2500 gallons now landing.

—ALSO—

Receiving, ex Whistler, Iate Hayes, Flying Dragon, Witch of the Wave, Fearless, Wizard, John Wade, Les Mers du Sud, &c., large additions to our stock of *Paints, Oils, Varnish, Glass, Etc.,* making our assortment now as HERETOFORE, the largest and best selected stock in San Francisco.

Purchasers are invited to call on us, as we can offer at the lowest terms.

SAWYER, JOHNSON & HARVEY,

Wholesale Dealers,

j19-1m 105 and 107 Clay street, San Francisco.

PATCH & CLAYTON,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND GENERAL AGENTS,

(92 *Front street, in Gordon's Iron Block.*)

FAITHFUL attention given to sales of California Produce, and orders for merchandise promptly filled at lowest market rates.

WM. Y. PATCH. [j27-tf] CHARLES CLAYTON.

J. D. HUNT & CO.,

CORNER CLAY AND BATTERY STREETS,

OFFER for sale Eagle Plows of the best make, and every variety;
Steel Plows of Illinois patterns;
Gedde's Harrows, Cultivators, Wheat Drills, of most approved make,
Ox Yokes and Bows, Whiffletrees;
Thermometer and Rotary Churns;
Agricultural Furnaces, Cauldon Kettles, all sizes;
Galvanized Fence Wire. j29-tf

QUARTZ SPECIMENS POLISHED!

Seals, Rings, Covers, Heads, Snuff Box Cane &c.,

CUT AND SET, BY

BARRETT & SHERWOOD,

Montgomery street, 1 door from Commercial

THE only Lapidary Machinery in California, and the best workmen on the Pacific coast, are now employed in our establishment.

☞ Don't mistake the number—161. j27-tf

The Golden Gate Hotel.

THIS hotel opens to-day for the reception of its guests. The above house is entirely new built and furnished with all new furniture, in the most modern style.

It is situated on the west side of Davis street, corner of Oregon, near Jackson, and within a few yards of the landing of the River and Ocean Steamers.

The house is capable of accommodating 175 persons, the rooms are all lighted and well ventilated; superior accommodations for families visiting the city.

No pains will be spared to make this new Hotel pleasant and agreeable to all who may favor it with their patronage.

W. G. THOMAS.

N. B. A splendid Barber's Saloon is attached to this Hotel, conducted by

j27tf J. V. THEOBALD.

SAN FRANCISCO HOTEL,

MRS. M. F. BALL, Proprietor,

Corner of Jackson and Front street, San Francisco.

Accommodations and fare equal to the best Hotels in California.

Charges moderate. feb3-tf

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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PREMIUM PLOWS.

MESSRS. E. L. BEARD, WM. NEELY Thompson, and J. Bryant Hill, the Committee appointed to award a silver plate to the manufacturer of the best California-made plow on exhibition at the Agricultural Fair of Warren & Son, haae awarded the plate to Messrs L E Morgan & Co. The plate is valued at $100. The following is the report of the Committee:

The undersigned having been appointed a committee to examine the several plows presented for exhibition and premiums at Warren & Son's State Fair, having attended to that duty, submit the following report:

The several plows offered for exhibition and premiums were as follows:

L E Morgan & Co—Steel Peoria Plows, viz:

Clipper No 6, a highly finished plow, with wheel and coulter, cutting 14-inch furrow; Clipper No 16, wheel and coulter, 16-inch furrow; Clipper No 18, wheel and coulter, 18 inch furrow; Clipper No 20, wheel and coulter, 20-inch furrow.

Peoria Plain or Prairie-land Plows:

No 5, fine steel and finished, cutting 10-inch furrow; No 5 1-2, same style and quality, cutting 12-inch furrow; No 6, same character, cutting 14-inch furrow; No 7, same, 16-inch furrow.

L E Morgan and Co exhibited in the Hall a most superb and highly finished clipper or prairie plow, cutting a 16-inch furrow, reflecting great credit upon the workmen in the several departments of their manufactory in the construction of their plows; also a most beautiful model, a miniature plow, that was exhibited upon the table in the Hall, and attracted much attention.

There were also cast plows from the celebrated manufactories of Ruggles, Nourse and Mason of Worcester, Mass, John Mayher and Co of New York, and others, consisting of deep-tillers, side-hill, sub-soil, centre-draft, etc, etc, but as these were not put in competition, the committee can only say that for cast iron plows, they hold their usual high rank.

The plows manufactured in this State being the only ones entitled to premiums, and this being the principal duty of the committee, they proceeded to the examination.

A wrought steel plow from Stockton had been exhibited, but was withdrawn from competition.

The various steel plows from Messrs Morgan and Co, were such as to give pleasure in their examination, and the committee find them manufactured in the most satisfactory manner, and most creditable to the proprietors. From the abundant testimony before the committee, they are satisfied of their being the very best plows, and most thoroughly made, and plows that give greater satisfaction than any other steel plow in the country.

The committee, in view of the facts before them of the high merit and most excellent reputation of their real worth, award to L E Morgan and Co, the premium prize, a silver plate, valued at $100.

The committee hope that with another year, many new varieties of plows, adapted to all forms of culture, the side-hill, the sub-soil and deep-tiller, will be manufactured by our citizens, and thus retain at home the wealth of our State for the real benefit of our people.

E. L. BEARD,
WM. NEELY THOMPSON, } Committee.
J. BRYANT HILL.

j19-3m

G. M. HUTTON,

WOOD TURNING AND SCROLL SAWING,

At the Sawing and Planing Mill,

HARD Wood, House and Cabinet Turning. Orders executed with dispatch.

A variety of turned wood on hand. feb10-tf

HERMAN ERNST,

IMPORTER OF CIGARS,

AND Sole Agent in California for Messrs Partagas & Co, of Havana; Clay street, second door above Leidesdorff, San Francisco. j19-tf

FRANK BAKER,

Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Upholstery Goods and Paper Hangings,

135 and 137 Clay street, San Francisco,

HAS constantly on hand a large assortment of velvet tapestry, brussels, three-ply, ingrain and Venitian Carpets, druggets, matting, table and floor oil cloths, rugs, mats, etc, etc.

Also—Satins, silks, worsted, cotton, damask, lace and muslin curtains. Also, window shades of every description; gimps, cords, fringes, silk and worsted tassels, loops, gilt cornices and poles, curtain bands and pins, table covers, plush, etc.

Orders from a distance promptly attended to.

FRANK BAKER,

j19 135 and 137 Clay street.

W. T. GARRATT & CO.,

BRASS AND BELL FOUNDERS,

Halleck Street, near the American Theatre.

MANUFACTURERS of all kinds of copper work, brass, zinc, steamboat, tavern and hand BELLS and Gongs, fire engines, force and lift pumps, steam, liquor, soda, oil and water cocks, and valves of all descriptions, made and repaired; hose and other joints, spelter, copper rivets, &c; gas pipes and fixtures always on hand. j21-tf

RAILROAD BAKERY

AND COFFEE AND TEA ROOMS;

48 Long Wharf, between Battery and Front sts., San Francisco.

THE attention of our friends and others in Mariposa, is respectfully directed to the following:

It is a well known fact that the most cleanly and desirable way of cooking is BY STEAM, to whatever article it can be applied. Therefore, the proprietors of this establishment have just erected a

Steam Engine and Steam Apparatus,

whereby most of their articles are manufactured and kept fresh and ALWAYS HOT. By the use of steam they prepare their Coffee, Tea, and Chocolate as required, which make them far superior in quality to any other like establishment in the city.

BREAKFAST ROLLS

Always hot and fresh till 12 M, and Tea Biscuit from 12 M, to 11 P M. Puddings, rice, hominy hot from 12 M, to 7 P M.

BUCKWHEAT CAKES,

Made from flour manufactured in this city, from fresh California Buckwheat. Hot English Muffins at all hours.

The Pastry at the R R Bakery is universally admitted to far surpass any in the city, constituting every variety of fresh Fruit, Pies, etc.

When you visit our city give us a call—you will be well pleased.

HALEY & THOMPSON.

j19tf Proprietors.

AGENCY FOR CLAIMS

AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

OF THE

United States.

P. A. BRINSMADE,

HAS removed his office to Sherman's building, No. 146 Montgomery street, San Francesco, where he will continue the prosecution of Claims against the Federal Government, embracing

Claims of the officers and soldiers of Colonel Stevenson's Regiment of New York Volunteers for bounty lands, extra pay and transportation allowances.

Claims of the officers and men who composed the California Battalion of Volunteers, under Lieutenant Colonel John C. Fremont, for bounty lands, arrears of pay, and extra pay.

Claims of the officers, petty officers, seamen and marines, on account of additional compensation for services in the Naval and Revenue service of the United States in the Pacific Ocean, on the coasts of California and Mexico, from 13th of May, 1846, to 1st of March, 1853, provided for by Acts of Congress, approved August 31st, 1852, and March 3d, 1853.

—ALSO—

Claims for indemnity on account of losses occasioned by Indian depredations upon the property of the citizens of the State.

And Claims for advances made to United States Indian Agents, to enable them to negotiate or to execute treaties with the Indian tribes.

MR. BRINSMADE has secured the most reliable and efficient aid in Washington, and claimants may feel sure of the most prompt attention possible.

N. B. He will also give his best attention to Conveyancing in all its branches. feb3-tf

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JAMES PATRICK & CO.,

IMPORTERS,

Battery street, near Pacific, San Francisco

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NEW YORK BRANCH!

NEW GOODS AND NEW STYLES!

Corner Clay and Kearny sts., San Francisco.

WE take pleasure to announce to our friends and the public of San Francisco generally, that we have opened a large and fashionable assortment of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

at the above place, among which is to be found Ladies', Gentlemen's and a full assortment of all kinds of Children's Ware, from all the celebrated Manufactories of the East.

We most respectfully invite those about purchasing to call and examine our stock before purchasing.

feb10-tf HOLCOMBE & DOLE.

SOMETHING NEW

AT THE

Cochituate Baths!

57 Sansome street, between California and Pine, San Francisco.

THE ROYAL TURKISH LINEN BATHING TOWELS,

Just received,

NOW IN USE AT THE COCHITUATE BATHS!

The only house in the State where this healthy and agreeable luxury can be enjoyed.

THIS is the best article ever invented for bathing purposes, and received a premium at the World's Fair. Their superiority over every description of Towel, consists in their great sharpness, combined with flexibility and absorption, and are highly approved and recommended by the faculty as the most beneficial and invigorating article now in use.

Single Baths only.....$0,75
Or ten tickets for.....5,00
Separate appartments for ladies.

MASON & McCOMBE,

feb3-tf Proprietors.

NOTICE TO THE MILLION!!!

GEO. H. JOHNSON'S

First Premium Pioneer Daguerrean Gallery, San Francisco,

THE frequent liability under which the public now rest, of being deceived while in search of the ORIGINAL JOHNSON'S GALLERY, so favorably and extensively known as being the FIRST PREMIUM GALLERY on the Pacific, as well as for the SUPERIORITY OF LIKENESSES AND PICTURES, both as to fidelity and tone of artistic finish, has induced the subscriber to give the public a

WARNING AGAINST IMPOSITION!

His establishment is at the Corner of Montgomery and Clay streets, directly opposite Wells' building. Remember it is the

CORNER BUILDING, OVER THE DRUG STORE.

Be careful to observe the name of G. H. Johnson, he having no connection with the Johnson, next door to his establishment.

STEROSCOPIC PICTURES,

the greatest wonder of the age, taken with all the latest improvements in the art; being enabled by new and extensive additions to apparatus, to surpass any other artist in this city.

SINGLE, OR FAMILY GROUP PICTURES,

taken in the first style of the art, and put up in any variety of case, or in lockets, breast pins, rings, bracelets, watches, canes, pencils, caskets, christalocopes, or any other known style.

NO CHARGE FOR PICTURES,

if they do not give the most unlimited satisfaction. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens of Pictures in my Gallery. A liberal share of public patronage is solicited.

Perfect satisfaction will be guaranteed.

feb10-tf GEO. H. JOHNSON.

STORY, REDINGTON & CO.,

IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

Drugs and Medicines,

Chemicals, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, etc., San Francisco, Cal.

AGENTS for Osgood's India Colagogue, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, Dr. Conine's Ginseng and Malva, Grafenberg Co's Medicines, Corbett's Shakers' Sarsaparilla, Dr. Hunt's Life Elixer and Hyatt's Balsam;

HAVE removed to their new store, on the North East corner of Sansome and Merchant streets. No 128 Sansome street, and No 1 Sansome Block, immediately opposite their old stand. j19-tf

SALVATOR ROSA,

IMPORTER, and dealer in all description of MUSICAL INSTUMENTS; Sheet Music, etc, No. 180 Clay street, between Kearney and Montgomery, San Francisco.t j19

GOODMAN BROS.,

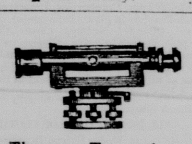
Wholesale Grocers and General Commission Merchants.

j19 50 Front street, San Francisco.

FURNITURE,

At SEYMOUR & CO'S, No. 190 Washington street, San Francisco.

Sofas, Sofa Beds;
Bedsteads;
French Mahogany Bedsteads;
Gothic do do;
Elizabethian Bedsteads;
Washstands;
Marble Top Washstands;
Veneered do;
Painted do double and single;
Standing and Sitting Desks;
Sets painted Chamber Furniture;
Chairs in great variety. j19-tf



Thomas Tennent's

SURVEYING AND NAVIGATION

WAREHOUSE,

Sign of the Wooden Sailor,

FIRE PROOF BLOCK,

Corner of Long Wharf and Front streets, San Francisco.

Chronometers carefully rated by Transit Observations.

U. S. Agency for the sale of Government Charts of this coast. All these Charts will be sold as heretofore,

At Government Prices.

Surveying and Nautical Instruments, of the best manufacture always on hand.

Repairing executed in a workmanlke manner.

Charts of the latest and most correct surveys, comprising a large assortment of the North and South Pacific Indian Ocean, Horsburg's China Seas, Eastern Passages, Straits of Malacca, Sunda, etc., with rivers and harbors.

Stationery, Pocket Spy Glasses;
Compound Microscopes, Sterioscopes;
Drawing Instruments, Spectacles;
Magnets, Drawing and Tracing Paper;
Hydrometers for Liquors, Salts;
Syrups, Acids, Milk, &c.
Pocket Compasses, Thermometers, &c., with a great variety of other Instruments in the same line.

Being a practical workman, (having learned my business in the manufactory of the celebrated Wm. J. Young, of Philadelphia,) all work entrusted to me will be properly done. j19-3m

MINER'S EXCHANGE

AND SAVINGS BANK,

AND

San Francisco Assay Office,

ARMORY HALL,

Corner Montgomery and Sacramento streets, San Francisco.

DR. A. S. WRIGHT, Agent.

ALL Moneys left at this Bank will bear an interest of one and a half per cent per month, redeemable at pleasure.

GOLD Dust left to be Assayed at this office, will be returned within twenty-four hours, and the very best price paid for it when offered for sale.

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San Francisco Advertisements.

A. T. M'CLURE

WOULD inform his friends and the public of Mariposa, that he is now located in his spacious Fire-Proof Building on Bush street, between Sansome and Montgomery, San Francisco, and has on hand one of the largest and best selected stocks of

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REMOVAL.

Dr. J. C. Young,

HAS removed his office from 226 1-2 Dupont street to the corner of Montgomery and California streets, opposite the Banking House of Page, Bacon & Co., where he will be happy to consult with his former patrons, and treat scientifically and with discretion, all those who may require the services of a physician. The success of Dr. Young since his advent in this State, has been without a parallel, and he hopes by continued and untiring application to his profession, to remove from the public mind that lack of confidence which has so unhappily existed in regard to the medical profession in the State of California.

P. S.—All letters enclosing $10 will receive immediate attention. Direct box 735, Post Office, San Francisco.

N. B.—All papers in the State will please insert as special notice the above, for one month, and send bill to J. C. Young, M. D. dec4-tf

DR. J. C. YOUNG,

OF SAN FRANCISCO.

READ AND REFLECT.

"If there is a hereafter,
(And that there is, conscience uninfluenced,
And suffered to speak out, tells every man,)
Then it is an awful thing to die,
More horrid yet to die by one's own hand,
Self-murder—name it not!
Shall Nature, swerving from her earliest dictate,
Self preservation, fall by its own act?
Forbid it, Heaven."

THE indulgence in secret practices is the most certain, though not always the most immediate and direct avenue to destruction. Physicians of all ages have been most unanimously of opinion that the loss of one ounce of the seminal secretions, by unnatural aid or emissions, weakens the system more than the abstraction of forty ounces of blood. One of the first writers on medical jurisprudence states that three-fourths of the insane owe their malady to such abuse.

How important, then, it is—for every one having the least cause to suspect any trouble in that way, should attend to it immediately; even one single occurrence should be sufficient to cause doubt, and much more so if the person had ever indulged in the soul-killing habit. The treatment pursued by the justly celebrated Dr. J. C. Young, in cases of seminal weakness, impotency, sterility, nervous debility, and paralysis, (the last is the most dangerous, and when it once occurs, is incurable,) is surpassed by any physician in the country. It is the same as that followed by him for years, under the guidance of the world-renowned *Record* of Paris, and *Acton* of London. Dr. Young's office is corner of Montgomery and California streets, opposite Page, Bacon & Co., San Francisco, California, where he can be consulted upon that and all other private diseases, with the utmost confidence and secresy. Dr. Young will warrant a perfect and permanent cure, or make no charge.

N. B.—Letters enclosing $10 will receive prompt attention. The doctor's time being so much taken up that he cannot attend to letters unless paid for it.

P. S.—Apartments privately arranged.

A CARD.

FROM Dr. J. C. Young's Private Medical Office.—TO THE AFFLICTED.—In this age of progress, when science is developing itself in such a manner as to appear almost miraculous, everything in common place is looked upon as not worth notice. In view of this fact, DR. YOUNG, corner of Montgomery and California streets, San Francisco, California, has concluded to leave the beaten track hitherto pursued by most scientific physicians, (that of waiting for the public to find you out alone,) and publish to the world, as much as may be, his knowledge of the healing art, to let those who are in need of assistance know where they can find relief, without fear of being imposed upon.

In continuation of this object, Dr. Young would say that for the past ten years he has pursued the practice of medicine in one of the largest cities of the United States, with the highest success, and that his standing as a physician is without reproach, having at one time been lecturer at the University of Pennsylvania on venerial diseases, &c.

Upon all these considerations, Dr. Young has confidence in introducing himself to the public, knowing that they will sustain well earned merit.

The following are a few of the many testimonials, which have appeared in the public journals the last few years:

[From the Boston Medical Journal.]

Although we are opposed to the system of advertising, for good and sufficient reasons, still we deem it but justice to say that Dr. Young is one of the most industrious and indefatigable votaries of the medical science in the United States.

[From Professor Jackson.]

The subscriber is personally acquainted with Dr. Young, and has seen much of his practice, and can bear